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WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Variable cloudiness early today. Clear before noon. Light winds. Little change in temperature.
High Today—40.
Yesterday: Sunshine—10 hours 43 minutes.

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FORTY-FOUR PAGES

Volcano in Pacific Destroys Villages; 30,000 Flee Island

Main Port of Camiguin Left As Rescue Operation Continues

MANILA, Sept. 5 (Sunday) (AP)—The main port of Camiguin was abandoned today and two villages were buried under a sea of rock and lava by a self-destroying volcano which is in eruption for the fifth day.

An estimated 30,000 Filipinos already have fled Southern Philippines island. The remainder, estimated at 10,000 were fearfully awaiting rescue.

Observers reported the ancient volcano, called Hibok-Hibok, which once lifted more than a mile above sea level, had been reduced by the eruption to little more than several hundred feet in height.

Boulders, rock, lava and ash had settled on nearby farms and coconut plantations on the slopes, covering some of them to a depth of 30 feet.

The port of Mambajao, main city of the island off the Northern Coast of Mindanao, was abandoned of its 10,000 population. Two nearby villages were covered by ashes and lava.

The rescue operation in the sulphurous mush is possibly the greatest of its sort ever attempted. It included a commandeered American freighter, 17 other coastal-going ships and numerous small craft.

Refugees presented a major relief problem to towns on nearby Mindanao Island.

Miraculously, not a single death has been reported since the eruption began September 1.

The little island, 93 square miles in area, is in the South-Central Philippines and a dozen miles from the north coast of Mindanao.

Wilhelmina Yields Rule To Juliana

AMSTERDAM, The Netherlands, Sept. 4 (AP)—The rule over The Netherlands and the Dutch Empire passed today from Queen Wilhelmina to her daughter, Juliana.

The historic moment was 11:45 a.m. when Wilhelmina dotted the second "I" of her boldly inscribed signature on the instrument of abdication.

The scene was the Moses Hall of the Royal Palace on Dam Square.

Then in the climax of her golden jubilee celebration of 50 years on the throne, the 68-year-old queen stepped out onto a palace balcony with her 39-year-old successor and led the cheers from 19,000 subjects for their new queen.

Wilhelmina was animated and gay. Juliana was shy and reddened, red-eyed, apparently from crying during the moving ceremonies of succession in the House of Orange-Nassau. The abdication was in a private, governmental ceremony, with only the highest Government officials for witnesses.

Big California Refineries Shut Down in Oil Strike

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4 (AP)—California's tremendously rich oil fields ground to a sticky halt today. Sixteen thousand C.I.O. oil workers went on strike in a dispute over wages.

Nine big refineries, which supply most of the petroleum needs on the Western Seaboard, were closed down.

The strike came as an estimated 3,200,000 of California's 4,900,000 automobile-began trips over the Labor Day week-end. Oil company spokesmen predicted a gasoline shortage on the West Coast "within a few days." They said storage supplies of gasoline were low. Demand has been burning available supplies.

The union struck at 12:01 a.m., after industry representatives refused to better their offer of a 12½-cent an hour wage increase. The union demanded 21 cents, saying this would give California oil workers 81.80 an hour against 81.98 paid workers in other oil fields.

Pickets paced the plants of Standard of California at Richmond and El Segundo; Shell plants at Martinez and Dominguez; Union at Oleum and Wilmington; Tide Water Associated at Avon; Richfield at Long Beach; Texas at Long Beach; Ventura and Los Angeles; Olds Oil at Bakersfield; Lion Oil at Ventura, and Rothenfield Oil at Long Beach.

General Petroleum, another large producer, was struck by the union contract runs to February. Thirty-to 40 small independent refineries remained in operation but they total output wouldn't fill many Labor Day holidays.

They appeared to be little prospect of negotiations until after the Labor Day holidays.

Odds Heavy Drew Likely Choice In Election of Bracken Successor

By TOM GREEN
Colonist Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA, Sept. 4.—The "drive for Federal leader" drive is about to begin and it is reported here reliably that more contenders than John Gordon Graydon, Federal Opinion member of Parliament for Peel, who served as House leader in the Government before Hon. John Bracken took over will form a new Ontario Government.

Undoubtedly, it will be a fight in the final analysis at the Progressive Conservative convention opening at the end of the month between Ontario Premier George Drew and John Diefenbaker, Federal member from Lake Centre, Saskatchewan, in the election of a successor to Hon. John Bracken.

The odds are very heavy now that Col. Drew will win out at the convention's choice. Both will go to the ballot at the convention, although neither has made any official announcement of his candidacy. A "Diefenbaker for Leader" campaign has already started.

In the event of his selection for the Federal party chieftainship, Col. Drew, it is learned, will tender his resignation immediately as Ontario premier and with him will go all the members of the Ontario Cabinet. Then Mr. Drew will advise the Lieutenant-Governor to call on Mr. Graydon nearing his 42nd birthday who has sat in Parliament continuously since 1935.

Mr. Graydon is a new Provincial Government.

Remembering the criticism directed at Mr. Bracken, after his selection as Dominion party leader for his failure to seek a seat immediately in the House of Commons, it is Col. Drew's intention, as soon as possible, to seek for the Federal nomination in Mr. Graydon's Peel County riding. The Federal Government here will not call a by-election for a vacant particular, as Mr. Bracken would be opposed by a Liberal.

In turn, Mr. Graydon will have to seek a seat in the Ontario Legislature. The report here is that Provincial Agriculture Minister Thomas A. Kennedy has wanted to retire for some time and would take this opportunity of yielding his portfolio to Mr. Graydon. Mr. Kennedy, 71, is ready to retire, Mr. Graydon would have to look elsewhere than his own "stamping ground" for a seat in the Ontario Legislature.

1948 Accident Toll

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS
(First figures shows yearly total; second total for last week)

	Lower Mainland	Vancouver Island	Cab Rec	Board-wide
Killed	4 (0)	3 (1)	2 (0)	0 (0)
Injured		136 (3)	30 (0)	2 (0)
Written reports		111 (2)	0 (0)	11 (0)

CONVICTIONS:

Dangerous driving	118 (1)	45 (1)	14 (0)	18 (0)
Driving intoxicated	12 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Exceeding speed limit	257 (3)	244 (8)	37 (1)	64 (1)
Cars impounded	64 (2)	4 (0)	0 (0)	2 (0)

Dimming your lights at night protects for yourself and the other driver.—Memo from Oak Bay Police Chief H. C. F. Reston.

Big New Dock Grows at Nanaimo

PICTURED above is the large new dock being constructed by the Canadian Pacific Railway at Nanaimo. The dock will replace present facilities, and is planned for quick handling of passengers, automobiles and freight. The two-story building in the centre will contain waiting rooms and ticket offices. Automobiles will travel in and from the pier by a wide ramp being built from the foot of Bastion Street in the background. Parking space and freight sheds will be located on the dock's lower level. Mooring space in the foreground is used by fishing vessels and other small craft. Protection and Newcastle Islands are seen in the background.

—Colonist Photo

Coastal War For Seamen Discounted

VANCOUVER, Sept. 4 (CP)—An official of the Seafarers' International Union (A.F.L.) here today branded as "moronic" reports that the union's Lake Head dispute with the Canadian Seamen's Union would be transferred to British Columbia.

Reporting a long-distance telephone conversation from Montreal with Harry Joyce, S.I.U.'s Canadian chief, the spokesman quoted Joyce as saying "it would be moronic for us to open up a war on the West Coast involving Canada's seamen."

Earlier reports said the S.I.U. was planning open warfare with the Canadian Seamen's Union following its absorption of the Canadian Lake Seamen's Union membership.

Mr. Joyce was reported saying today that S.I.U.'s reported statement about "going to organize every ship in the country" was a natural one for a seamen's union to make. He said it did not predict open warfare between his group and the rival C.S.U.

He said the dispute between his group and the C.S.U. involved jurisdictional matters and would be discussed at the union's impending congress in Victoria.

Joyce, who is S.I.U.'s Canadian secretary-treasurer, is the union's top man in Canada, said "We went into the lakes to clean up the deplorable situation there. It would be a joke to open up warfare on the West Coast and cause the same thing there."

Union Vote Useless Coast Dockers Told

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4 (AP)—The Waterfront Employers' Association of the Pacific Coast tonight gave added force to its "get tough" policy, as the third day of a coast-wide maritime strike reduced activity to a mere trickle in 30 ports.

The W.E.A. told striking longshoremen that a union-conducted vote on the last employer offer is meaningless and all offers are withdrawn.

The employers already had announced withdrawal of all offers and refusal to negotiate further with unions whose leaders refuse to file no-Communist affidavits in compliance with law. Then the longshoremen's head, Harry Bridges, announced a membership referendum on the employers last offer and on the Communist affidavit issue, with the union's negotiating committee recommending a "no" vote in each case.

"We are not urging you to vote or not to vote," the W.E.A. told longshoremen, in a bulletin.

"However, we must tell you that voting will be a waste of time and the result will be meaningless. There are no offers to vote on. Your negotiators now have no authority to bring any offers before you. And no offers will be made unless the officers of your union first sign the non-Communist affidavit."

Some 20,000 men and about 160 ships are idle.

There was no prospect of the deadlock being broken over the Labor Day week-end. Harry Bridges, head of the C.I.O. Longshoremen's Union, was off to Detroit. Most employer spokesmen planned week-ends out of town. Picketa set idly about the docks.

Truck Strike Saps Supplies

NEW YORK, Sept. 4 (AP)—A crippling tie-up of the city's biggest truck drivers' union slowly sapped commerce and imperiled food supplies today.

Ten thousand members of A.F.L. Teamsters' Local 807 and their employers were deadlocked on union demands that there were no more meetings set until after the long Labor Day "week-end. The issues centre around wages.

City Tug Badly Damaged After Crash Into Rocks

Burrard Chief, powerful 90-ton tug of Island Tug and Barge, Ltd., is in a badly damaged condition after smashing into rocks in Porlier Pass between Galiano and Galiano Islands in the Gulf of Georgia early yesterday morning.

Her crew of six—all from Victoria—are reported safe. Skipper of the vessel is George Dancer.

Harold B. Elworthy, president of the local towing firm, said Monday Turner, master superintendent, left a crew to repair damaged plates at 4 a.m. yesterday for the wreck scene.

The company tugs Island Ranger and Island Champion were immediately dispatched to the Porlier Pass location, towing a large derrick scow and other salvage equipment.

Cause of the wreck is unknown. Latest reports yesterday afternoon claimed the tug was badly holed, with water entering over her decks and through her housing. She was proceeding to Victoria from Vancouver at the time of the grounding and had no tow at the time.

Crew members left the tug in a lifeboat and proceeded to a lighthouse at the southern tip of Galiano Island, from where reports for assistance were made.

Crew members, according to reports received yesterday, are R. Robinson, mate, R. McVie, deckhand; Jack Campbell, engineer; George Tyson, cook, and a Mr. McWhirter.

The Island Ranger and Island Champion were due at the scene yesterday evening. Salvage operations will commence immediately.

It is understood the damaged Burrard Chief will be towed to this port for a survey and repairs.

Well known along the British Columbia coast, Burrard Chief has been with the local towing firm many years. She was built in Vancouver in 1918, is 97 feet overall and is registered at this port.

Tug Burrard Damaged

Burrard Chief, above, of the Island Tug & Barge Ltd., was badly damaged early yesterday morning after hitting rocks in Porlier Pass Gulf of Georgia. Company officials flew to the wreck scene to direct salvage operations. The crew of six Victorians escaped in a lifeboat. Two tugs and a derrick scow were dispatched to the scene from Victoria.

Unions Sign New Contract

VANCOUVER, Sept. 4 (CP)—The British Columbia shipyard unions, with a membership of more than 2,000 workers, have signed new wage contracts calling for a 12½-cent-an-hour pay boost and a cost-of-living bonus.

The original union demand called for 25 cents an hour, with the employers offering 12½ cents, plus a 25-cents-a-week increase for every point rise in the official cost-of-living index.

France Cabinet Formed As Schuman Includes Number of Socialists

Stymie Met in First Attempt Overcome to End Political Crisis

PARIS, Sept. 5 (Sunday) (AP)—Premier Robert Schuman formed a new Cabinet today, ending the eight-day French political crisis.

Schuman was successful in his second attempt to form a Cabinet to succeed that of Andre Marie, which resigned a week ago.

His first attempt had been stymied when the Socialists refused to participate in his Government and none of the Coalition Parties would accept the Interior Ministry.

The Socialists are in the new Cabinet, however, and in the new lineup announced by Schuman today Socialist Jules Moch remains as Interior minister, controlling the police.

Schuman, who served as foreign minister under Marie, will hold that post as well as the premiership.

Marie was named vice-premier and head of the French delegation to the United Nations. Marie is a Radical Socialist (Conservative) and Schuman a Popular Republican (MRP).

Socialist Christian Pineau was named finance minister in the new Cabinet, replacing Paul Ramadier, whose wage and price policies caused the fall of the Marie cabinet.

Other posts were

National defence, Rene Mayer, Radical Socialist. Justice, Robert Lecourt, M.R.P., education, Tony Revillon, Radical Socialist, labor, Christian Pineau, Socialist, agriculture, Pierre Pflimlin, M.R.P., public works, Henri Queuille, Radical Socialist, reconstruction, Rene Coty, independent; commerce, Robert Lacoste, Socialist, overseas affairs, Paul Coste Floret, M.R.P., and public health, Pierre Schneiter, M.R.P.

Secretaries of State named were Posts and telegraphs, Eugene Thomas, Socialist, war, Maurice Bourges Maunoury, Radical Socialist, navy, Joseph Dagnaux, M.R.P., civil service Jean Biondi, Socialist, Budget, M. Pohar, M.R.P.

The Cabinet was formed at 7:30 a.m., Paris time, after all high commissioners had immediately set out a meeting for tonight.

Schuman withdrew his resignation as premier yesterday to begin his attempt to form a French Government.

Schuman, confirmed earlier this week as premier, gave up an earlier attempt to form a Government after four days yesterday. He handed in his resignation to President Vincent Auriol.

Today it was disclosed that the President had not accepted the resignation. Schuman therefore is not required to go before the National Assembly for confirmation a second time.

BULLETINS

Toll Rising

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5 (Sunday) (AP). — Seventy-eight persons already were dead in accidents early Sunday as the nation's pavements resounded to the whirr of Labor Day week-end motorists. Of the dead, 64 were victims of traffic accidents.

Fatally Wounded

HAVANA, Sept. 4 (AP) — Noel Salazar, 26-year-old acting chief of the Cuban Ministry of Education Police, was attacked and fatally wounded today. He was found in a sanitary car on a lonely road between Havana and Batabano. Police surgeons said he was stabbed twice and hit by eight bullets.

Storm Kills Two

HAVANA, Fla., Sept. 4 (AP)—Two are believed to have been swept overboard off a Gulf Coast hurricane, killed one children, injured several other persons and caused about $500,000 property damage today in Florida and Georgia.

Communists of Poland Press Purge of Party

WARSAW, Sept. 4 (AP)—Polish Communists today purged a number of their ranks today in an attempt to heal a split stemming from the Cominform attack against Yugoslavia.

The purge was directed against members accused of Rightist and Nationalist deviation from the proforeign and strictly Marxist policies set forth by the Cominform—the Soviet-led propaganda association of European Communist countries.

Just how many Communist Party members have been dropped already is not known, but reliable estimates say the figure runs into the thousands.

Many reports were heard that Vice-Premier Wladyslaw Gomulka, regarded as a "Nationalist" Communist, had quit the party as secretary-general. This was denied by Communist Party headquarters.

However, it was announced that President Boleslaw Bierut has been summoned to return to a political review of party leadership to heal the breach.

From Budapest came dispatches that Hungarian Communists would undergo a similar purge. The political committee of the Hungarian Workers' Party—a merger of Communists and Socialists—announced that it was closing ranks for the next six months in order to "supervise the party membership and to recover corrupt elements." No new members were admitted from September 6 to March 6, 1949.

Russians Release Six G.I.'s

BERLIN, Sept. 5 (Sunday) (AP)—United States military police said today the Russians took six American soldiers into custody in Berlin during the night, but later released all of them.

Names of the soldiers were withheld pending an investigation. The police also declined to discuss the circumstances surrounding the incident.

The arrests, the first in more than a week, came amid hints that the Four Powers might be approaching a final stage with a partial agreement on trade and finance problems. An official spokesman said, however, he tells had not yet received any decisions on whether the crisis produced by the 75-day-old Soviet blockade of Berlin.

"The four military governors met yesterday for the fifth day in an effort to find a formula for ending the East-West cold war in Berlin. They had been given the assignment by the representatives of their Governments now engaged in diplomatic consultations in Moscow.

Mantz Again Bendix Winner

CLEVELAND, Sept. 4 (AP) — Paul Mantz, Hollywood's Mr. Aviation, won his third straight Bendix cross-country race at 447.986 miles an hour today in the hottest finish of the 19-year-old event.

Mantz was just slightly faster than Jacqueline Cochran (Mrs. Floyd B. Odlum), only woman ever to win the Bendix, and Lanion B. Carney of Hoagin, Tex. flying the plane Mantz used in two previous victories.

Carney averaged 446.113 miles per hour to take second place and Mike Boyd was averaged 443.987 miles per hour to place third.

New Orleans Hurricane Turns Milder in Interior

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 4 (AP)—A gulf hurricane smashed its fury against New Orleans shortly before dawn today and have on into Mississippi a milder gale.

No fatalities or injuries were reported in New Orleans or in the wake along the South Louisiana Coast northward to the city.

At the storm's center, winds attained a steady 75-miles an hour with gusts of 90 from whipping Moisant International airport, 12 miles west of the city.

After a preliminary survey, Mayor deLesseps Morris estimated damage at less than $100,000 in the business district the winds ripped some signs from their mountings and broke a few plate glass windows. Most business stores closed for the day. In residential sections, a few frame structures were wrecked, trees uprooted, and a few power lines blown down.

Nearly seven inches of rain that accompanied the storm flooded streets in some areas and the windwhipped waters of Lake Pont-Chartrain splashed over protesting seawalls at the Rigolets community where New Orleans and Jefferson Parish County to the west join on the lake front.

Residents of the community were evacuated and housed nearby.

Several boats in the yacht harbor were sunk or damaged.

The centre of the hurricane passed over New Orleans about 7:15 a.m. (E.S.T.) and lashed an hour and a half. The storm winds moved eastward with force up to 60 miles an hour, but quickly died down. A drizzling rain followed, but by mid-morning the sun was shining.

No Daily Colonist Tuesday Morning

THE Daily Colonist will observe the Labor Day holiday Monday and accordingly there will be no paper Tuesday morning. The usual Monday editions will appear Wednesday morning with full news and feature coverage.

Of the Weather High and Lows

	High	Low	Precip. Inches
Victoria	56	44	
Vancouver	58	50	
Prince Rupert	60	48	Trace
Grandview	59	47	
Kamloops	62	44	
Prince Albert	57	41	
Edmonton	61	43	
Calgary	61	43	
Medicine Hat	61	45	
Winnipeg	61	47	
Toronto	67	52	
Ottawa	67	50	
Montreal	67	52	
Fredericton	67	45	
Prince Rupert	60	48	
Prince George	61	37	
Dawson	57	37	Trace
Chicago	67	52	
New York	71	61	

Model Plane Controlled by Radio

Radio-controlled model plane is launched by its inventor, James Walker of Portland, Ore., at Detroit model plane contest. Plane is gas-powered, radio-controlled. Converted football helmet serves to hold some of equipment. Walker manoeuvres plane by voice. When he "orders" plane to bank, sound is transmitted from helmet to "ear" under wing of plane.

Reno Mine Operator Pioneering Movement for Free Gold Market

RENO, Sept. 4 (AP) — The financial circle systems that S. L. Cleveland sent skyward last month by advertising he would sell raw gold on demand for some more exercise.

The 46-year-old Reno gold-mine operator has found another angle to the Gold Reserve Act that took the United States off the traditional gold standard in 1933.

Note to Cleveland: offering gold in its natural state for sale to the highest bidder, but also he is preparing to market warehouse receipts issued against the metal.

The warehouse gold receipts may be freely transmitted through the United States, according to Mint Director Nellie Taylor Ross. The receipts are not legal tender, however. Instead of having dollar values they call for so many ounces of gold in its natural state.

(Gold in its natural state is gold recovered from natural sources and which has not been melted, smelted, or refined or otherwise treated by heating or by a chemical or electrical process.)

Natural gold may be sold in the United States at any price you can get, says the Treasury Department, whereas refined gold must go only to the United States Government at its own price of $35 an ounce.

When Cleveland confirmed this last month, he took ads in several Eastern financial newspapers offering natural gold at $41 an ounce.

He acknowledged that the $41 price was an arbitrary figure and that the law of supply and demand would determine the ultimate market price on the open market, about $42 an ounce.

But the mechanics of selling the relative milky gold and collecting for it began to prove more than he had bargained for. When he sold 1,000 ounces to a buyer in Pennsylvania, the buyer had to make the trip to Reatle, Wash., where the metal was available, and take possession.

So Cleveland evolved the plans for warehouse receipts. The seller sends his gold to a bonded warehouse in San Francisco for the account of Cleveland's Gold Corporation of America. The warehouse sends the receipt to Cleveland with a copy to the buyer. Cleveland sells the receipt, backed by the actual gold in the warehouse vault, and pockets his dollar-an-ounce brokerage fee.

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The buyer leaves the gold in the warehouse but can spend the receipt whenever he wishes in the United States.

"The receipt may not be legal tender," says Cleveland, "but any storeyman that refused it would be a darn fool."

Cleveland's main ambition, along with that of many another gold-mine operator, is to see a free gold market established. He predicts that if a Republican Administration and Congress is elected next Fall, the free market will come within a year.

That is why, he says, so many Eastern financiers are interested in gold speculating. The Reno man contends that if restrictions on gold are lifted, the metal would jump in price to $70 an ounce or more.

Cleveland believes also that gold investments are the best hedge against inflation.

"Gold has always maintained its value when currencies and other things have not," he says, "and history shows gold has always increased in price—never decreased. Gold eventually will reach a much higher price because of the discrepancy in its price in various countries.

"In order to have a sound currency, all countries must have the same exchange and it has been proven throughout the years that gold is the only basis of exchange in which man has lasting confidence."

Opera Star May Lecture

ABERDEEN, Scotland, Sept. 4 (AP) — Mary Garden, grand opera star who retired in 1934, says she may return to the United States as a lecturer. The 71-year-old soprano made her American debut in 1907.

Christine Smith of New York, director of the National Arts Foundation, has offered to send her on a tour of 36 American cities for lectures on her operatic interpretations.

Miss Garden was born in Aberdeen.

See Four Men For Elections

VANCOUVER, Sept. 4 (CP) — A three-way and possibly four-way fight for mayor of Vancouver may be staged in the December civic elections.

It was reported today that aspirants to fill the chair of the late Mayor Charles Jones include a non-partisan candidate, a C.C.F. Civic Reform Association and possibly an independent nominee.

Most likely non-partisan nominee is Ald. C. E. Thompson, who opened a campaign last year but withdrew when N.P.A. endorsed Mayor Jones.

The C.C.F. it was reported, is certain to run a candidate, possibly A. T. Salbury, perennial mayoralty candidate.

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U.B.C. Professors Term 'Secret Log' Of Columbus 'Not Very Good Forgery'

VANCOUVER, Sept. 4 (CP) — A priceless record or fantastic hoax has students of history and language interested here.

It is a parchment book of 22 pages which purports to be the personal and secret log of Christopher Columbus on his voyage of discovery to America in 1492.

Fished from the sea 56 years ago off the Welsh coast, today it is in the possession of Charles P. Smith of Gibsons, B.C., a few miles north of here.

He has shown photographs of the script, strangely enough written in English, to authorities of history and languages at the University of British Columbia. They either repudiate the document as a hoax or cautiously withhold judgment.

Mr. Smith found it in the library of a brother in Devonshire, England, where it had gathered dust since his discovery in a lead-lined cask by a Welsh fisherman.

The journal is about seven inches by ten, one and one-half inches thick, and the cover bears the inscription "My Secrets Log Book." It contains a letter in Spanish purporting to be from Queen Isabella of Spain to Columbus, dated Granada, April 18, 1492.

"It's a phony, and not a very good one, either," said Dr. G. O. Sedgewick, department of English, University of British Columbia. The language seems 19th century to him rather than medieval. Dr. W. N. Sage, head of the history department, also thinks the work a forgery.

The professors repudiate the book because of its idiom and sentence structure, not because of its use of English.

The Encyclopedia Britannica states that Columbus probably made a voyage to England as a young man and could have known English.

Mr. Smith himself does not venture an opinion.

To his relatives in England it was known only as a "funny old book" which gathered dust on the library shelf.

The manuscript is written with the old English "f" for "s".

The last entry, dated February 13, 1492, states Columbus' intention to throw the log overboard because his ships seemed doomed by storm.

The pages of the journal today are exceedingly brittle but otherwise in perfect shape. The covers show some water damage.

A letter claiming to tell how the cask with the manuscript was found in the sea is signed by James or Jonas Cokes, dated No. 1 Mermaids Street, Punalley, Wales, September 4, 1890.

Deportation, Treason Trial, Facing Count

OTTAWA, Sept. 4 (CP)—An official Government statement was issued tonight on Count Jacques de Bernonville, a French nobleman awaiting deportation from Canada, by Dr H. L. Kennedy, deputy resources minister. It followed the granting of a writ of habeas corpus for De Bernonville, returnable in a Montreal court next Wednesday.

The official statement said:

"Jacques de Bernonville is a French citizen who entered Canada on a false passport in violation of Canadian law. He has been ordered deported by the Minister of Mines and Resources, J. A. MacKinnon. Under the order, he will leave Canada some time after the middle of September.

"De Bernonville is known as a notorious collaborator with the German Nazis during the time that France was under German occupation. He was found guilty by the Court of Justice of Toulouse October 1, 1947, of betraying his country-men."

Dr Keenleyside's statement also said:

"The French Government has informed the Canadian Government of the gravity of the crimes committed by De Bernonville. They have indicated their wish to have him returned to France where he will undergo a new trial at which he will have ample opportunity to present his defence against the charges which have been laid against him."

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Sept. 4 (AP) — The price of tuna brought in here from the new run off the Queen Charlotte Islands went up a quarter of a cent a pound today.

Two boats sold 13,000 pounds today at the new price of 26¼ cents a pound.

Moisture Meters, Divers Help Mend Toll of Flood

PULLMAN, Sept. 4 (AP)—Moisture meters and divers played a part in putting flood-damaged Columbia River communications back on their feet.

The Washington State College Agricultural Extension Service told today how the rehabilitation problems left by the receding waters of this year's Spring floods were met and conquered.

The report dealt primarily with conditions in the hard-hit Woodland and Puget Island districts of Cowlitz and Wahkiakum counties.

The afflictions of Job in the Bible had nothing on the grief facing the farmers and homeopeople of the Woodland and Puget Island districts.

Armies of worms invaded newly-planted fields, paint refused to stick to water-logged wood, farm lands had to be restored to tillable condition, homes had to be cleaned and disinfected, mold grew on water-soaked walls, home food supplies had been swept away.

But the communities got together with their county extension agents and began to figure a way out of the mess.

Home-owners found that paint applied to wet wood was wasted. That's where the moisture meter came in.

Woodland businessmen learned that such a meter shows the exact moisture content of the wood and then the proper time to apply paint could be determined.

The results of readings and their correlation with the time to apply paint were printed in the Woodland paper and this information made it possible for the home renovators to set the proper time to repaint.

Then there was the problem of getting homes and buildings back on their foundations. That's where the divers came in.

While the water was still 20 to 30 feet deep in some areas, a tug boat and divers were hired.

This boat churned along some 15 to 20 feet above what used to be pasture land and towed many buildings back over their foundations.

Divers anchored the buildings in place, so that when the waters dropped they would settle down somewhere near their original location.

Tass Reports Terror Reign

LONDON, Sept. 4 (AP)—A Tass dispatch from New York declared today there is a "well-organized reign of terror" under way in the United States against Henry A. Wallace and other Progressive Party candidates.

The Soviet news agency said Southerners who tried to break up Wallace's campaign meetings were Fascist hoodlums.

"Despite terror, slanderous propaganda and discrimination," the dispatch said, "the Progressive Party will undoubtedly remain an important force in the elections."

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St. John Order Names Officers

Dr. Roy Mustard of Vancouver was elected vice-president commissioner of the Provincial Council of the Order of St. John at its first annual meeting last night in provincial headquarters on View Street.

Hon. F. C. Carson was re-elected president and D. N. W. Grub of Vancouver honorary treasurer.

Mr. Carson told the meeting, attended by representatives from all parts of British Columbia, that the first year of amalgamation of the Association and the Brigade had been successful.

Reorganization of executive machinery was approved unanimously after detailed discussion. The president was authorized to set up a steering committee, limited in membership to about 30, that will meet every month.

"The executive committee of nearly 50 members is too unwieldy to be completely efficient," said W. M. Thompson of Vancouver, chairman of the nominating committee.

Seven delegates to the Dominion conference of the organization, to be held in Winnipeg this Autumn, were named. They are Mr. Carson, George C. Edwardson of Victoria, secretary, Rudyard B. Ripling, Vancouver; Miss Isabel White, lady provincial officer, Vancouver; Mrs. Beatrice Martin, lady provincial cadet officer, Vancouver; Mrs. Florence Carroll, lady district officer, Vancouver, and Mrs. Ronald W. Harwood, lady chief superintendent, Victoria.

NEW CLASS

A beginner's English class for new Canadians living in the Greater Victoria area will start on Tuesday, September 7, at 7.30 p.m. at the YMCA.

The classes will be open to students of all ages who cannot speak English. A number of Chinese have already registered and an instruction is extended to East Indians and Europeans.

Harold O. Beall, retired secretary of the International Branch of the YMCA in Montreal, will teach the class.

The Local Scene

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Plan Erection of New Building For Brentwood College Soon

Construction of a new school building on the site where most of the original school was destroyed by fire in 1947 will begin as soon as sufficient money can be obtained to cover mains, conservatory costs, Colonel Colchester, headmaster of Brentwood College, said yesterday.

Mr Colchester said several "generous gifts" had been made to the Brentwood Old Boys' Rebuilding Fund since addresses presented to the school's annual speech day, June 19, when it was made publicly known such a fund had been originated.

"But the main drive has not yet started," said Mr Colchester. "There will be more details announced later."

He said Major W. E. Taylor, a friend of the school, had inaugurated a scheme for collecting small donations for the fund. C. E. Pratt, a Vancouver architect and a Brentwood old boy, has already begun to draw up plans and designs for the new building.

"Our aim and object is to get back to the Brentwood site just as soon as possible," said Mr Colchester. "We are hoping some temporary arrangements may be made whereby we can."

The school is housed at present in a building at Patricia Bay.

Beginning Monday, September 13, Mr Robert Taylor, noted Canadian artist, is holding a one-man exhibition of his paintings in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company. All the proceeds from this exhibition will be turned over to the Brentwood Old Boys' Rebuilding Fund.

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DRIVER FINED

Gerald M Mitchell, Qualicum taxi driver, was fined $25, $2.50 costs, and had his driver's license suspended for one year at a special sitting of Provincial Police Court yesterday, when he pleaded guilty to a dangerous driving charge.

The charge was laid by Constable Jack Leslie, highway patrolman, after Mitchell was involved in an accident on the Island Highway near Colwood, Friday night.

James W. Thomson, Happy Valley Road, pleaded guilty to a charge of dangerous driving and was fined $25 and $2.50 costs. Charge arose out of an accident Friday night at View Royal. Constable Leslie also attended this accident.

A. I. Thomas, J.P., presided.

DOCTOR INJURED

Dr E W C Whitehouse Harding Lane, was taken to the Victoria Veterans' Hospital by Saanich ambulance. Police after his motorcycle had been in collision with a car at the intersection of Stellys x Crossroad and West Saanich Road.

Dr Whitehouse was in collision with a car driven by Kenneth K Davis, 898 Island Road.

The motorcyclist received a broken leg.

Attending the accident for Saanich police were Constables Robert Adrian, David Shepherd and Robert Coleman.

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CLUB MEETING

Victoria Club for the Hard of Hearing will meet on Wednesday, September 8, in the clubrooms, 1416 Douglas Street. Plans for Autumn and Winter activities will be discussed, and P L Shaw will address members.

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NAME OFFICERS

The Victoria Optometrical Association elected Frank W. Fraser as president and George Dartmouth as secretary-treasurer at annual meeting recently.

Welcomed into the group and its discussion on visual training were recent Graduates N Johnson and J Campbell and Undergraduates R Jeune and J Kendrick.

Today's Question

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What is the literal meaning of the word "Bible?"

Meat Dealers Not Certain Of Price Trend

With increased beef sales during the past week, city meat dealers were unable to predict yesterday whether beef prices would rise or fall during the coming week.

"Prices dropped last week because there was a surplus and the public is wholesale," declared. What the prices will be next week will depend on what we have to pay on our shipments that arrive Tuesday."

Beef prices in Victoria dropped last week from levels of the previous week but still remained above what they were before the Government embargo on Canadian shipments to the United States was lifted August 16.

Beef jumped some 15 cents a pound the week after export regulations were removed.

There is plenty of good commercial grade beef around at a price housewives can afford to pay, one wholesaler said. Of course the American purchasing men are bidding up all the red brand and blue brand beef and people who want that will have to pay high prices.

Prices prevailing at downtown butcher shops yesterday were: Hamburger 55 cents a pound; colored round steak, 75 cents; rump steak, 75 cents; shoulder steak, 65 cents; sirloin tip 75 cents; T-bone steak, 89 and 85 cents; veal chops, 75 cents, and veal steaks, 60 cents.

Three Accidents Cause Damages

A B C Electric bus and five cars were involved in three accidents between 4 and 7.35 last night, according to city police.

The bus, driven by George Earle, 2137 Spring Road, was in collision with a car driven by Capt. W. T. Gagnon, 2614 Topp Avenue, at 4 p.m. on Yates Street between Broad and Douglas Streets. Earle told police the collision occurred after he had to swing his bus sharply to miss a motorcycle parked at the end of the bus zone by Richard C. Ramsay, 89 Cambridge Avenue.

In an accident at 5.10 p.m. at the intersection of Blanshard Street and Pandora Avenue cars driven by J. R. Hayett, 555 Falkland Road, and Reuben H Hill, 2642 Bellbourne Street were in collision with minor damage to Hill's car.

"Extensive" damage to a car driven by Henry T. Van Nes, 2744 Avebury Avenue, resulted at 7.35 p.m. when it was in collision with a car driven by Albert Meer, 439 Cook Street, at the intersection of Cook and Richardson Streets.

PLAN PROGRAM

Model pictures, including Fraser Valley flood scenes, and a program of music will be featured in the Belmont Avenue United Church Hall on Friday, September 10, at 8 p.m. A collection will be taken to assist in the completion of the hall's interior.

Expect Soap Box Derby To Have Many Entries

A record number of entries is expected for Victoria's fourth annual soap box Derby which will be run off on Ryan Street hill at 10 a.m. Monday.

R. H. Abbott, chairman of the Knights of Pythias Derby committee, reported that 72 entries have been received to date with more expected. Last year 76 cars sped down the 500-yard course.

Contestants, some of whom will come from points including Langford, Shawnigan Lake, Sooke and possibly Alberni, will vie for about 15 prizes and two cups.

This year the cars will leave the starting point three at a time by means of an automatic starting ramp. Constructed by the Knights of Pythias, the ramp resembles one used at the famous Derby in Akron, Ohio.

Officials hope to have the races run off by 1.00 p.m. A winner will not be picked from each heat and contestants will be eliminated until the final race will decide the victor.

Jimmy Pinion, who has won the cup for the best-looking car two years running, will be given the trophy to keep if he tops his class this year, officials said. Other prizes will be given to boys driving the fastest cars, efficiency in operation, and youngest drivers.

Inspector Robert Owens of the Provincial Police will start the races and Al Meegan will be the finishing judge. Members of the police force will be on hand to check safety regulations.

Complete List of P.C. Convention Delegates Includes 13 From Island With Nine Alternates

Seventy-one delegates and 61 alternates will represent British Columbia at the National Progressive Conservative convention in Ottawa September 30 - October 2, Major-General G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P. for Nanaimo, announced yesterday.

The list includes six delegates and three alternates from Victoria and seven delegates and six alternates from the other parts of the Island. General Pearkes, who is president of the Provincial Progressive Conservative Association, said the list is now complete.

Not included are those who are eligible to attend the conference as ex-officio delegates, many of whom live in Victoria. They are Progressive Conservative members of the House of Commons and Provincial Legislature, members of the Federal party executive, and Privy Councillors.

Each of the 17 Federal ridings of the province elected three delegates and three alternates, and in addition there will be 17 delegates-at-large and three representing the Young Progressive Conservative Association.

It was learned that the only Conservative Privy Councillor in Victoria, Sir Henry Drayton, does not plan to attend.

Among the delegates-at-large are P. A. Hawes, J. L. Mara and R. A. B. Wootton of Victoria and P. S. Cunliffe of Nanaimo.

Comox-Alberni riding delegates are Gordon Campbell, Port Alberni; R. H. Grant, Courtenay, and Nugent Nicholls, Courtenay. Alternates are J. W. B. Morrison, Nanaimo; L. H. Nicholson, Sidney, and A. de B. McPhillips.

Nanaimo riding delegates are W. J. Garnett, Cowichan Station, Mrs. E. O. Woodward, Saanichton, and V. B. Harrison, Nanaimo. Alternates are Mrs. E. M. Hoyt, Nanaimo; R. Seabrook, Cowichan Station, and A. C. B. Lewis, Cobble Hill.

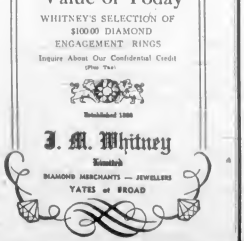
Victoria riding delegates, elected last Monday, are Mrs. R. D. Harvey, W. H. M. Hallane and Dan Lawton. Alternates are O. A. Cameron, Mrs. O. A. Cameron and Geoffrey B. Archer.

Army Week Set For September 20

"Open house" to Victorians will be the order of the day during Army Week here from September 20 to 26.

Buildings and Army equipment will be shown and explained and, in addition, both active and reserve force soldiers will participate in parades and demonstrations in which the public will be invited.

The purpose of Army Week is to familiarize the public with army activities and help create a favorable spirit of co-operation by the general public.



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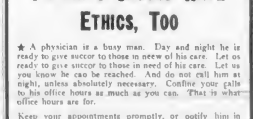

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Labor Day a Symbol of the Dignity of Work

MEN and women all over the North American Continent tomorrow will celebrate in their own way a day set aside for more than half a century as a symbol of the dignity of labor and the rights and privileges of those who work for a living—whether deep in the mine or behind a store counter. These are the people who make a nation great, who create its wealth; for without sweat and toil there can be no wealth, without the man who will take off his coat there can be no food or shelter.

Tomorrow is their day, and while most Canadians will spend it in sport and leisure it would be well for them to remember that the high standards they now enjoy were not attained easily. Labor has come a long journey from the dark days of oppression, when champions of the men of toil met in cellars and garrets to plan their battles—often bitter and bloody—for recognition of human rights.

Today the wage-earner is protected not by agreements but by laws establishing his inviolable right to fair pay for honest work; to hours of work that allow time for recreation and leisure; to healthy conditions of employment in factory or mine; to organize freely, and even to strike lawfully when all processes of peaceful settlement have failed. These are conditions that would have seemed Utopian less than half a century ago; that too many Canadians have come to take for granted, forgetting the hardships by which they were achieved and the great responsibilities they carry.

It is a sad commentary on current trends of affairs that while trade union battles of the past were waged against influences from without, the only real threat to union stability today appears to come from within: from a few demagogues lusting for personal power and from disciples of doctrines incompatible with individual freedom. It is a tribute to the rinsthreadiness of the mass of Canadian workers that the two most influential labor organizations are now making a determined move to rid their ranks of these influences.

Carnarvon Terms and History

REFERENCE the other day to the Carnarvon terms and the prior pledge made at British Columbia's entry into Confederation to build a coach road across the Rockies to the sea seems to have stirred which go back a long way in Canada. British Columbia joined the Confederation in 1871, surrendering important local levies including customs and excise. A railway and a coach road were pledged by the Dominion. The railway followed in due course, the coach road did not. Three years later, Lord Carnarvon was appointed to arbitrate the dispute which had arisen between British Columbia and the Dominion, in finding it was agreed would be binding on both parties. Lord Carnarvon stated that a coach road should be constructed immediately.

As the city solicitor of Victoria has pointed out, Lord Carnarvon was followed by Lord Dufferin and by others in their turn, seeking to placate the province in the non-fulfilment of the federal pledge. On many occasions since British Columbia Governments have referred to the Carnarvon award, but little came of it. Since those times, however, roads have assumed almost equal importance with railways in Canada, and the lack of an all-Canadian highway directly across Canada from sea to sea has begun to irk.

What with the Statute of Limitations and Government concessions since by various administrations across the Bay, it would be difficult to determine the legal worth of the Carnarvon award today. There is no doubt, however, about its moral implications. The Dominion was recognized as pledged to put through the coach road it had promised. The projected Trans-Canada Highway is the successor to that. To a degree greater than the public is aware, it exists across much of the country, but the gaps—and they are wide—prevent its consummation and use as such. The project should be finished.

Mendel's Law Is Not in Any Danger

THE "liquidation" of a biological laboratory in Moscow and the dismissal of two Russian scientists because they dared to uphold Mendel's law, the widely accepted scientific theory of inheritance in human kind, will not cause a ripple in the scientific world. Long ago the "flat earth" of pre-Copernican times was doctrinaire gospel. Galileo and other were persecuted for daring to believe in a round Earth which moved about the sun. The doctrinaires and their supporters passed, and the Copernican theory was accepted. Today, of course, it has been justified times without number.

Whether it be in Literature, Art or Science, only the free mind of man is free to validity. If politburos were to dictate what men think, then thinking itself would soon cease. Science, especially, depends for its progress upon the free play of untrammelled minds. Mendelism, by the way, are not born every day. One can sympathize with the two Russian biologists who came up against the doctrinaires of that land. Their triumph, however, is yet to come. Generations from now it will still be Mendel's law, and not the ukase from the Kremlin, where heredity is concerned.

That, perhaps, is just as well. It would be strange indeed if any part of normal human inheritance should influence the ability of a few men in power to dictate what a free and enquiring mind should think about man, about the universe, or about the Creator.

Let's Make It a Sane Week-End

UPWARDS of 135,000 British Columbia cars may be on the roads this week-end, as households take advantage of the three-day break including Labor Day. This outpouring of traffic from urban points will be attended by unnecessary fatalities, injuries, property loss and suffering on the one hand, or a minimum amount of damage on the other if the public exercises a reasonable amount of common sense and care. Most "accidents" can be avoided. Death, suffering and loss are poor concomitants for a holiday. Let us make it a safe and sane week-end. Drive with regard for others!

Gentle Virtues

By NOEL CAMERON

THE old, old saying, "The world ain't queer, 'tis the folk that's in it," seems these days to have an ironic truth far beyond its original interpretation—a truth that comes home to all of us at some time or another to a larger or lesser degree, depending on our proximity to or remoteness from world affairs and the amount of [illegible] our particular orbit. And yet there would seem to be no doubt at all that the gloom and despondency, the general unsettledness and disturbing undercurrents which flood our radio news and newspaper headlines are not the true reflection of the mass of the world's population.

Ordinary men and women en masse are not pugilistic, communistic, domineering creatures, bent on creating trouble and chaos. They are merely normal, peace-loving, inoffensive folk who, left in peace, have no partisian desire to break their neighbors' windows, and to whom the progress of a row of beans in the vegetable plot means far more than some vague frontier or Utopian dream.

A peculiar symptom of our present sick world is the apathy of mind which, like a canker, has grown in our midst without our knowing how it all began. We seem to have lost the vitality and the vigor, the honest independence to rout well-being of mind and body and particularly of spirit, which characterized the much-maligned "old school." We no longer meet, except in all too few pulsated and refreshing pockets, hearty and full-blooded upholding of good against evil.

"Getting away with it" whether "it" be a poor job or a dishonest bargain is too much of a mode instead of a condemnation. We hold in mere admiration bringing far greater credit than its mere meritorious counterpart.

Planning and organizing, fair rates and controls, have become the finer plants of conscientiousness and true craftsmanship, with the result that inevitably few people are really interested in doing a good job for the sake of doing it and hence deriving, thereby, of the satisfaction they are missing.

In our frantic desire to create a haste standard for everyone we are overlooking the life-giving impetus of initiative and individuality, of giving free rein to ability and talent. Slowly but surely we are inventing a form of mental and national artificial. We are drawing the marrow from our very bones—and there is no proved cure for arthritis. Instead of a world where all are equal to fight and work for due return, we are stamming the natural stability levels of intelligence and capacity and creating a soul-destroying wilderness where not one can see over the beyond the level of his companions, however low they may be.

No two human beings are alike. With all the equal opportunities, equal education, equal scope in the world, there will always be one who sinks and one who swims and no amount of legislating or controlling will ever alter that basic fact.

Our sick world today is in desperate need of the balm of sanity and straight dealing. True civilization can only be based on true Christianity under whatever religion it may be cloaked, and true Christianity is merely the essence of the Ten Commandments. Civilization must inevitably rot in a world where the same Ten Commandments are broken or ignored every day of the week. The true crisis today is within our very souls.

We need to fight for a loosening of the appalling bonds that bind us—the bonds of greed and selfishness and the ever-riding influence of money and power; to the rightful ascendancy of the people who cannot consider doing the smallest act for anything without first weighing it to discover how much they themselves will get out of it; for the elimination of the predominance of delight in "smart deals."

There is nothing wrong with the great mass of men and women except that they are struggling in a welter of mismanagement in a world which apparently favors the unscrupulous amongst us, but there will be something vastly wrong with the future generations if they are to be bred on present creeds.

The quickening of response to the desperate need of our fellow-folk when a newspaper headline puts it on our breakfast table is still in control. Willing volunteers are still to be found who will give their time and energy and hard work to rehabilitate the home of a poor family struck by sudden calamity. Human hearts are still human! If they are allowed to be. The roots are still there but the fine flowering needs the defence of our courage and strong right arms to support and cast out the weeds which threaten to choke our very civilization.

The world cries out for more thoughtfulness and conscientiousness and that highest of all virtues, simple kindness—the gentle virtues of a gentler world, which seem to have no place in these strident, science-ridden explosive days and yet which can be, and are, far more enduring than any radio-active cloud from any atomic bomb.

Today's Answer

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It is derived through the medieval Latin from a Greek phrase which simply means "the books."

Harvest Time . . .

"That Makes Real Good Sense, don't it? I Employ Women to Help Out, Thus the Men Want to Take Time Off to Get Married."

From Canada's Capital . . .

By HAROLD DINGMAN

OTTAWA.—Things are in a sorry mess between Hollywood and Ottawa. For more than six months the big United States film producers have been promising to help Canada recover at least a part of the enormous dollar-drain caused by film and theatre rentals. Tens of millions of dollars leave Canada every year to pay for Hollywood productions.

When Messrs. Abbott and Howe announced the dollar restriction program at the end of last year they paid particular attention to the movie industry. An office known as "The Canadian Co-operation Project" was opened to facilitate Hollywood co-operation. There has been a trickle of co-operation and a flood of promises.

The producers made three major promises: (1) To advertise Canada on American screens and thus send tourist dollars north; (2) to assign some subjects to Canadian film producers and pay for them in American dollars; (3) to make films in Canada with United States production units.

The initiative for the co-operation project actually came from Hollywood when J. J. Fitzgibbons, Canadian manager of Famous Players, went to the producers and warned them that a Canadian crisis was at hand. But creeps for promise No. 1 almost nothing has been done.

At first the producers made exaggerated claims of what already had been done to help Canada and what was currently being done. They also over-emphasized their plans for the future. Goldwyn, for instance, promised to make "Earth and High Heaven" in Montreal, but he has owned the film rights to that story for some five years and still nothing has been done. Universal promised to make "The Tin Flute" with Canadian settings but nothing has been done. Many other stories are "planned."

The producers do not seem to realize that unless some of their promises are fulfilled fairly quickly they will be headed for a first-class crisis. They are dealing with Trade Minister C. D. Howe, one of the toughest administrators in the Canadian Government. When Howe's patience reaches its limit the producers will have to pay up.

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FAIR HAIRED BOY

In Ottawa, patronage and favoritism have crept into the film project. A former publicity man for a Crown company has been taken onto the Federal payroll at $6,000 per year. During the war this man drew a good salary from one of the war departments and then he was given another lucrative position with a Crown company. Now he's back in Ottawa unwilling ever to let go the juicy sums that can be had from the public treasury.

This man has bestowed upon himself the title of film co-ordinator, although by act of Parliament the film co-ordinator is the chief commissioner of the National Film Board.

However, Ottawa has so much money these days that no one cares about a mere $6,000, although that's close to the salary of a deputy minister.

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MOUNTIES AND MOUNTAINS

Hollywood film producers have two fixations about Canada and at any story conference about this country they insist they must film two subjects: (1) The scarlet-coated R.C.M.P. and (2) the big mountains in the Canadian rockies.

If the R.C.M.P. would permit it, American films would be crawling with red-coated cops swarming up mountain sides to get their men. Recently Hollywood has come up with a third idea for Canada—political stories involving the R.C.M.P.; witch hunts and spy rountups.

The commissioner of the R.C.M.P. has nixed these stunt pictures.

Observation Car:

By G. S.

A TOURIST from Toronto who visited a beer parlor in a small Up-Island city commented to a waiter that the beverage seemed milder than when compared with Easter mail products. "Maybe, but it is better than the beer served across the line, at least tourists say so," the waiter replied. Half an hour later a visitor from Aberdeen, Wash., walked into the pub and called for two glasses of beer. "Looks like rain," he observed when the waiter set them down. The waiter, whose mind still dwelt on the remarks of the Toronto man, replied, "Yes, but you will find it tastes like beer" . . . Inventor Karl waited patiently for 50 weeks until the time came for his annual vacation, and then sped to a comfortable inn at Maple Bay near Duncan. He had not been there more than 24 hours before illness intervened to interfere with a program of swimming, fishing, tennis and sun-bathing. Karl was forced to return to Victoria to seek the best medical aid available. When the doctor had him back on his feet again, Karl told a friend: "This is the first time I have ever been taken ill on a holiday, but it will not happen next year. I intend to saturate my system with the idea that I will take a vacation in July. Then, when the date approaches, I shall suddenly change it for a date in August. Thus I shall be able to deceive my system, and if I have to be ill, it will not take place while I am on a holiday." Frustration stalks a person to save a bit of time by forming an opinion without finding out the full facts . . . Emerson wrote of ambition: "Low aim, not failure, is the crime" . . . The reason fewer women than men rise to great heights is that they do not have wives to nag them on to success.

World's First Radar-Controlled Port

(From The London Recorder)

THE First Sea Lord, Admiral of the Fleet Sir John Cunningham, has opened at Liverpool the first radar-controlled port in the world.

The radar installation was constructed for the Mersey Docks and Harbor Board by the Sperry Gyroscope Company of Brentford, Middlesex. Operating with the company in the specialized design and construction of the display equipment was Consor Radar, Limited.

Liverpool's radar port is an entirely British achievement. It will allow free ship movement in bad visibility by day or night. Thus expensive ship delays will be avoided.

Fitted with radar, a vessel bound for Liverpool docks will be able to proceed right up to the port with the master secure in the knowledge that his way is clear for progress, not only the river mouth, but through the narrow, winding approach channel to the docks.

Hitherto the port authorities have had no quick means of ascertaining the ship-traffic position in the channel and river during fog.

The new shore-based radar will give them a true picture of the conditions of the channels for 30 miles in and around the harbor. This picture is obtained by an aerial scanner mounted on the top of a white 80-foot tower at the Gladstone Dock.

From the scanner objects are reproduced on six screens in the harbor supervision headquarters. One gives a view of the whole estuary. Four give large-scale pictures of each quarter of the narrow approach channel, and the sixth gives what is called a "wandering display" of any area within the 30 miles.

The radar pictures on the screens are superimposed on gridded charts of the river mouth and port approach. The equipment and the radio telephone can be operated by one non-technical operator.

Letters and Excerpts

Letters to the editor on any topic of genuine public interest are welcome if they are brief, accurate and fair. No letter will be inserted, in whole or in part, over the proper signature and address of the writer. Controlled correspondence cannot be accepted.

FAMILY ALLOWANCES

Sir,—I think it is an understood thing that the reason family allowances were introduced in Canada was that they gave the child a chance for education and better living conditions than otherwise possible. I believe, too, that most people realize that the more education a child has, the better chance he has in a highly educated world, and that without it his chances for worthwhile employment are greatly curtailed. It is surely apparent to everyone that a Grade XII education is an essential if one is to obtain a worthwhile position.

In order to obtain a Grade XII standing the child may need to attend school until he is 18 years of age or more, and yet the family allowance which he needs to help him through school is cut off at 16 years of age. For this reason some children will not be able to get more than a Grade X standing and they will be handicapped for life as a result. I believe that family allowances should commence at three years of age and continue through to 16 years of age, in order to give the child a worthwhile start in life.

LAWRENCE M. STROUD.
1815 Langley Street, Victoria, B.C.

PRAISE FOR STAFF

Sir,—I wish to express my thanks and gratitude to the doctors, nurses and orderlies of the Veterans' Hospital at Victoria for their kind and humane treatment of me while a patient at the hospital. A little smile, a kind word spoken means a lot to us old veterans who are drawing to the end of the trail. Many of us have done our part in the past building railroads for small wages; such as the Kettle Valley, the C.P.R. and the Canadian National, and biased the trail to Port Churchill and the unfinished P.G.E. and the railroad to Alberni and the railroad to Prince Rupert. We may be poor but we are proud of the fact we helped to build, and will leave our footprints and handprints behind long after we are mingled with the dust. Thanking all the Veterans' Hospital.

JOHN CRAWFORD.
949 Fridesux Street, Nanaimo, B.C.

Heredity

I am the family face;
Flesh perishes, I live on,
Preserving trait and trace
Through time to times anon,
And leaping from place to place
Over oblivion.

The years-haired feature that can
In love and voice and eye
Dwelve the human span
Of durance—that is I;
The eternal thing in man,
That heeds no call to die.

—THOMAS HARDY.

God's gifts put man's best dreams to shame.
—ELIZABETH BROWNING.

Fun, Fact and Fiction

While we don't understand how the Maharajah of Baroda managed to squander $10,000,000 in six weeks, it would have been vastly more mysterious at 1938 prices.

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Among barnacards the most popular dance is still the sidestep.

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A woman may seldom give the reasons, but always she has them.

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A wise old owl lived in an oak;
The more he saw the less he spoke;
The less he spoke the more he heard;
Why can't we all be like that bird?
—Cited by J. D. Rockefeller.

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There is a reward for everything but death.—Cervantes.

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A person had occasion to reprove a small boy for swearing.

"If you feel you must say something just say 'Bother'" he said. "Your father doesn't swear, does he?"

"Oh, no, sir!"

"Well, then, if he were working in the garden and suddenly stepped backwards on to a rake which flew up and hit him from behind, what would he say?"

"He'd say, 'You're back early, dear!'"

Victoria in Beard and Crinoline

From Files of The Daily British Colonist for September, 1861

By G. E. MORTIMORE

THE tale of a rawhide-totin' Western "gal" who believed attack to be the best form of defence was told by three correspondents in "The Daily British Colonist. One writer was the girl herself.

A citizen who signed himself "T.Y.Z." started off with a letter which ran as follows:

"For the past two or three nights, a solitary female, armed with a heavy cowhide, has been deep pounding the streets of this town, evidently in search of some person upon whom to use the said cowhide.

"Several gentlemen report having encountered the lady on Monday night, and that on seeing the manner in which she was armed and equipped they fled for their life . . .

"In order that innocent parties may not suffer, I hope you will give this publicity, and thereby place timid gents, whose business calls them out late at nights, on their guard."

A second correspondent, using the initials "A.B.C." said he had met the lady with the whip. "She is not only sober, but is also in the full possession of her senses and a very powerful muscle, as I have reason to know," he wrote.

Then came a third letter, containing an explanation and a threat. The writer was the whip-lady herself.

"It is not a shameful or a disgrace that a respectable female cannot walk two or three blocks away from . . . home . . . without a score of fellows of a Sunday night, unattended by a single pair of pantaloons, without being told Sundays the name of your paper that she is . . . 'a victim of misplaced confidence, seeking to revenge herself upon a gentleman standing six feet in his stockings!'

"Truth is I love to walk out of an evening alone . . . and, to guard against accident or insult I always carry a cowhide. Which I take good care to show whenever any of your saucy-looking whiskerados approach too near me . . .

"If these are any further remarks in your journal concerning the female you have been pleased to term mysterious you may expect to see her, Remember the cowhide! Yours spitefully, M.F."

Actors Face Narcotics Charges

ACTOR Robert Mitchum, in top photo (right), and three others arrested on narcotics charges were to have met Los Angeles County Grand Jury next Tuesday. However, attorneys yesterday asked for more time to prepare case. Mitchum and friend, Robin Ford (top left), are pictured after their arrest in Hollywood at hillside home of Actress Lila Leeds (bottom left) along with Dancer Vickie Evans (bottom right). Four face Federal charges of smoking marijuana. Mrs. Dorothy Mitchum, 31-year-old actor's wife, who learned of her husband's arrest when she arrived home, is reported to be "standing by him."

B.C. Truckers Seek Cartage Rate Boost

VANCOUVER, Sept. 4 (CP) — British Columbia truckers will seek to boost their cartage rates here 8 per cent, it was learned today.

An application for higher rates will be made shortly to the city council to offset $23 a month wage increase effective September 16.

The wage boosts will also be effective in Victoria and New Westminster and other inland and Lower Mainland points.

Diefenbaker Group Started

OTTAWA, Sept. 4 (CP) — A "Diefenbaker - for - Leader" committee was formed here last night to promote John Diefenbaker, member of Parliament for Lake Centre, Sask., for the party leadership at the three-day Progressive Conservative national convention opening here September 30.

The seven members, all of whom call themselves "political amateurs," plan to run newspaper advertisements and send letters to convention delegates urging them to support Mr. Diefenbaker in the leadership voting.

Meanwhile, Progressive Conservative headquarters said today that practically all of the 265 Federal constituencies to be represented in the next Canadian Parliament have selected delegates to the party's national convention being held here September 30 and October 1 and 2.

The party is basing its delegate representation on the 265 constituencies set out in last year's redistribution bill, which becomes effective in the next Parliament. At present, there are 245 ridings.

In all, 1,215 delegates or alternates will be entitled to vote at the convention, which will select a successor to John Bracken, the party's retiring leader.

HERO SIGNS UP

HOLLWOOD, Sept. 4 (AP)—Audie Murphy, most decorated United States soldier of the World War, registered yesterday for the peacetime draft. Murphy, 24, and a film player now, was discharged in 1945 as a lieutenant, wearing every medal for valor available to an infantry man.

Mitchell, Bengough Optimistic In Views on Labor in Canada

OTTAWA, Sept. 4 (CP)—Dissenting views on the fortunes of Canadian workers are expressed by the heads of Canada's two national labor congresses in Labor Day messages.

President Percy Bengough of the Trades and Labor Congress says Canadians generally are doing all right and the future outlook is good.

President A. R. Mosher of the Canadian Congress of Labor says poverty, distress and economic insecurity are widespread in the Dominion.

Labor Minister Mitchell in his message notes with Mr. Bengough's more cheerful view.

President Bengough declares Canadians are "indeed fortunate" by comparison with workers in other countries. He adds the prospects for the next few years also look favorable.

Mr. Mosher, however, claimed Government and industry had failed to protect the workers.

"There can be no excuse in a country so richly endowed as Canada," he said, "for the poverty and distress which are still prevalent throughout the Dominion."

Labor Minister Mitchell said Canada had "enjoyed another year of high employment, high wages and sound family security."

Labor and management were cautioned by the minister against engaging in a race between wages and prices.

What Canada needed was greater stability in both wages and prices if that were attained, both labor and management would "find themselves much better off than when participating in a race in which there is no final goal."

OLD ENGINES RETIRED

HUNTSVILLE, Ont., Sept. 4 (CP) —The Huntsville and Lake of Bays Railway is finally retiring its two locomotives that were built in 1915. The 42-inch gauge, one-and-one-eighth-mile system has two new engines and is shipping the old ones to the Chicago Museum.

...Oddities...

TOKIO, Sept. 4 (AP)—Japanese police reported today a new low —literally—in thievery.

Tests on a cable, long unused, between Japanese and Korea disclosed that thieves had stolen a large portion of the cable from the ocean floor.

JERUSALEM, Sept. 4 (Reuters) —News of a soccer match between Jews and Arabs, who first searched each other for arms, rushed here last night.

Officers of an Egyptian position in Southern Palestine, where the opposing forces face each other at short distance, visited a nearby Jewish settlement and suggested a game of soccer.

The Jews and an Egyptian team arrived the next day. Before play started the teams searched each other for arms, but found none.

The Israeli team won, 5-1, and the losers asked them over for a cup of coffee "one of these days."

ASTORIA, Ore., Sept. 4 (AP)—Not even danger makes eighty-year-old Jerry Mangiagomery forget the high cost of everything.

Jerry, a novice swimmer, fell from a bridge into the swift Mecanicum River and started struggling toward shore. Someone yelled at him to discard his heavy shoes.

"No siree," he called back. "They cost too much." The shoes and Jerry made it.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 4 (AP)—Robert Brosell, 44, last night sat on a park bench taking advantage of the cool breeze.

A well-dressed man strolled by, carrying an expensive piece of luggage.

"Gee, that's a nice bag," Brosell said, then cried out:

"Officer, officer, arrest that man!"

An officer did just that—and handed Brosell's bag to its rightful owner. The stranger had taken it from Brosell's car.

Seek Ousting Of Communists In Government

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4 (AP)—A Senate sub-committee checking on the Government's "loyalty" program demanded today that all Communists and their sympathizers be kicked out of federal jobs at once—and kept out.

The investigating committee composed of seven Senators said in a 28-page report that the present method of testing the loyalty of the more than 2,000,000 Government employees is "inadequate," filled with "dangerous delays," and in need of speedy overhauling.

The suggestion that Communists or others who advocate overthrow of the Government by force be barred from Government jobs is not new. The sub-committee noted that Congress has been trying to scratch them from the payroll since 1939 with ineffective results.

"Today a person in our country has a right to be a Communist and to speak out in behalf of Communism if he violates no law such as espionage or conspiracy," the report said. "By doing so, however, he forfeits any privilege he may have had to work for the United States Government.

"All Communists are potential espionage agents and a federal employee who constantly associates with persons of that ilk forfeits his privilege to work for the Government just as a man forfeits his privilege to work as cashier in a bank if he constantly associates with known thieves."

FOUNDER'S KIN DIES

TORONTO, Sept. 4 (CP) — Mrs. John William McCallum, member of the family for which the Western Ontario town of Tillsonburg was named, died yesterday. The lighter side of her husband's career was lived in Calgary. She was prominent in the Ontario Historical Society.

CANNIBALISTIC RITUAL

Primitive men used to join in the eating of dead relatives in order to share their virtues.

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Dewey Plans to Make Bid For 'Solid South' Support

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5 (Sunday) (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey will make a determined bid for support from the once "Solid South" in the November Presidential election, Republican National Headquarters announced yesterday.

Herbert Brownell, Jr., campaign manager for the Dewey - Warren ticket, said in a statement:

"Thousands of Southern voters are ready to vote for Dewey and Warren, and for the establishment of a real two-party system in the South."

Brownell said many Southerners "want to see their section of the United States become doubtful territory instead of adhering blindly to one party which has given striking evidence on many occasions that it does not hold the South in much respect."

Brownell said the Republican Party will "give the South plenty of evidence of its interest" in Southern problems, and will send at least one top-flight speaker into every Southern state.

Meanwhile Mr. Truman and Gov. Dewey began to step up the tempo of their pre-campaign activities.

Writing in The American Federationist, official monthly publication of the American Federation of Labor, the two major party candidates bid for the labor vote.

Said Mr. Truman: "The Republicans are asking workers to forget the gains made under a program of broad social and labor legislation that was started in 1933 by the Democratic Party when Republican unemployment, hunger, despair and bankruptcy stalked the land."

Said Gov. Dewey: "In the last six years the state of New York has had no place in its government for party - liners or fellow - travelers. And your next administration in Washington will not make them any more welcome. For will that administration play into the hands of such elements by so far forgetting the rights of all our citizens as to propose that strikes be broken by drafting men into the army."

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But the continuous 14-year growth and expansion of Eddy's is sufficient proof that even at its very beginning "Eddy Was Ready", with the right idea, just as Eddy has been ready ever since with ever-increasing stocks of smart, up-to-date merchandise.

And today Eddy's congratulates the "Plume Shop," one of Victoria's oldest established Women's Wear Stores on moving into a centre that has proven its usefulness in sevice to the women of Victoria. We wish every success to them and other merchants who are also moving into this centre. Then again, the recent announcement of the Hudson's Boy Company expansion plans is another example of the reward of the Pioneer Spirit.

The establishment of "Shopping Centres" away from the more congested streets is always a mark of a City's progress and growth, and other Victoria Merchants are now helping create other "Shopping Centres" for other Merchants who will inevitably follow the leaders.

Victoria is on the march and today, as in the beginning, "Eddy Is Ready" to serve the women of Victoria with the merchandise they want, when they want it, WHERE they want it, and at a price they want to pay.

Glimmer and Shimmer Hollywood

Following the pattern set by Darryl F. Zanuck, Twentieth Century-Fox is still bringing to the screen film versions of important

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Dana Andrews to play the role of Hod Stillwell, whose forefathers were fishermen, and who couldn't be torn from the sea even for the love of a beautiful and well-educated girl.

Andrews' love interest in "Deep Waters" is Jean Peters, the former Ohio State University co-ed who made an auspicious screen debut in "Captain From Castille" in which she played Tyrone Power's fiery and intensely devoted Spanish sweetheart.

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"The Set-Up," with Robert Ryan in the starring role, is scheduled as the second production to go before the R.K.O. Radio cameras under that studio's new regime.

Based upon Joseph Memoure Marsh's narrative poem, "The Set-Up" deals with a prize fighter whose life is put where he wins the ring battle he was supposed to "throw"

JEAN PETERS

This film is unique in that it covers 90 minutes in a fighter's life, and is told on the screen in exactly that time.

"The Set-Up" will present Robert Ryan in a role as strongly etched as those in such famous ring classics as "Kid Galahad" and "The Patent Leather Kid." Ryan is particularly well qualified for the characterization, since he was undefeated heavyweight champion for four years at Dartmouth and taught boxing while with the Marines.

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Dorothy Patrick, honey-haired blonde, has been signed to play the feminine lead opposite William Lundigan in R.K.O. Radio's "Follow Me Quietly," mystery drama.

Last seen on the screen in Metro's "Till the Clouds Roll By," Miss Patrick formerly was well known as a

"Build B.C. Payrolls"

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V.M.D. Fund Nets $2,197 To Solarium

Former members of the Victoria Machinery Depot sick benefit fund committee have turned over to the directors of the Queen Alexandra Solarium the remaining money in the fund totaling $2,197.70.

During the World War all employees of the Victoria Machinery Depot contributed to the sick benefit fund, and as a result were entitled to benefit from it when forced away from work because of sickness.

At an early date it was decided by the board and its members that at such time as the affairs of the fund were finalized all the money remaining would be distributed to the Solarium to assist handicapped children along the road to recovery.

In the past, V.M.D. employees have benefitted to the extent of $21,000 from this fund.

Members of the fund committee present at the presentation ceremony included F. Marshall, N. Booth, D. Burnett, F. R. Sims and J. Pope. Representatives of the Solarium were Mrs. R. D. McDougall, G. Brown and R. Cheyne.

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Players model and also had been identified with Little Theatre groups in the East. In "Follow Me Quietly" she will portray an ambitious feature writer for a sensational crime magazine.

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Making his screen picture debut in R.K.O. Radio's "Interference" is radio and stage-trained Jim Backus who has been signed as a featured player in the big-budget film starring Victor Mature, Lucille Ball, Elizabeth Scott, Sonny Tufts and Lloyd Nolan.

In "Interference," Backus, as a heart specialist, gives Mature the bad news that he must give up professional football if he wants to live. The picture, an inside story of the lives of a play-for-pay gridiron greats, is being directed by Jacques Tourneur for Producer Robert Sparks.

Producer Jack Wrather has just purchased an original story,

DANA ANDREWS

"Dallas," by Robert Ryan, and is negotiating for Robert Mitchum to portray the starring role.

Wrather is now shooting "Strike It Rich" for Allied Artists at Nassour studio in Hollywood. He has just returned for Texas where the company spent three weeks on location. The new film will tell the story of the early days of Dallas.

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Jean Simmons and Stewart Granger become the screen's newest romantic twosome when they start work next month in the J. Arthur Rank-Two Cities film, "Adam and Evelyne." It will be Jean's first romantic role after her hit parts as Ophelia in Laurence Olivier's "Hamlet" and another in "Great Expectations."

18 to Attend Bruges Fete

Brigadier F. N. Cabeldu, Victoria alderman, is among 18 Canadians leaving Canada on Tuesday, September 14, for Bruges, Belgium, to attend the fourth anniversary celebrations marking the city's 1944 liberation from the Germans.

Brigadier Cabeldu was among the Canadian force that helped free Belgium from the Germans.

The Army has announced that Brigadier Cabeldu, Eastern Command, will head the party. He commanded the 4th Armoured Divisions during the sweep through Belgium in 1944 and was made an honorary citizen of Bruges in a ceremony following the liberation.

Brigadier Cabeldu commanded the 4th Canadian Brigade, which included the Royal Regiment of Canada, the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry and the Essex Scottish.

Loads Lumber

Ss. Lake Allin, Canadian vessel is now at Stevadore loading 1,300,000 feet of lumber for the United Kingdom. Under the command of Capt. R. M. Scott, the vessel is scheduled to leave the Up-Island city Monday.

MEETING POSTPONED

The regular monthly meeting of the H.M.C. Dockyard Civil Service Association (Federated), to have been held at the Prince Robert House on Monday, September 6, at 8 p.m., has been cancelled.

Famed Comedy to Open Little Theatre Season

The Autumn program of the Victoria Little Theatre will open with the famous comedy "Dear Ruth," organisation officials have announced. This will be followed by the usual Christmas engagement in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium, a feature of Little Theatre programs for the past eight years.

In January the major production will be the popular comedy, "Quiet Week-End," success both on the stage and screen. It is the sequel to "Quiet Wedding," one of the Little Theatre successes during the season before last.

Following the January production, at a later date there will be presented at least two other three-act plays, a "Shakespeare Night," and a night of one-act plays.

A small annual subscription includes admission to all the productions without additional charge.

The theatre, which is owned by the theatre group, is situated on Langham Place, off Rockland Avenue between Linden Avenue and Moss Street. It is well equipped for production of first-class plays.

Directors of Victoria's Little Theatre have issued a cordial invitation to everyone interested in the legitimate stage, either as active workers or as audience, to join their ranks for the coming season. A new feature of activities this year is the appointment of a junior board of directors whose particular object will be to ensure that all new members who wish to take an active part in productions will be given an opportunity to take an active part in productions.

U.K. Engineering Mission Due Here September 25

The United Kingdom Engineering Mission will arrive in Victoria on Saturday, September 25, Hon. Leslie E. Brown, Minister of Trade and Industry, said yesterday.

The delegation will proceed to Vancouver on September 26, where it will stay until October 1.

The mission intends to investigate market possibilities mainly for engineering equipment, and to obtain first-hand information on any difficulties in regard to trade with Canada in the engineering industry. The mission's object also is to advise on the most suitable methods to adopt to ensure a greater flow of exports from the United Kingdom.

Sponsored by the British Board of Trade, the mission consists of 13 members led by E. S. Gilpin, director of Messrs. Baker Perkins Ltd. and chairman of the British Food Machinery Manufacturers' Association.

The mission's associate organizer is Norman Perrill, O.B.E., director of the B.F.M.A. and of the British Chemical Plant Manufacturers' Association. The mission will be accompanied by a representative of the Ministry of Supply and by one of the United Kingdom Trade Commissioner. Vancouver, in arranging plant visits and interviews.

Mr. Byrne said that the Department of Trade and Industry is cooperating with H. Oldham, British Trade Commissioner, Vancouver, in arranging plant visits and interviews.

PAINTINGS HELD OVER

The exhibition of paintings which opened September 1, at the Art Gallery and Studio, 1131½ Douglas Street, was originally intended only for one week, but because of the good quality of the paintings it will be held over another week, officials stated yesterday.

Closing date of the present exhibition had been extended to Tuesday September 14. Hours during which the gallery is open are from 1:30 p.m. to 6 p.m., and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Monday afternoon (Labor Day).

Calendar

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:15 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:15 p.m.

Oak Bay Kiwanis Club dinner, Oak Bay Beach Hotel, 6:15 p.m.

FRIDAY—Lions Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:15 p.m.

There will be no luncheon meeting of the Gyro Club this week because of the holiday.

Members of the Kiwanis Club will hear Austin Curtis speak on "Education Today in Greater Victoria." He is a past president of the club and chairman of the Greater Victoria School Board.

A color film, entitled "Wasel Mediterranean," will be shown the Rotary Club. The picture will be presented by Clarence S. D. Perrin, photographer, B.C. Travel Bureau.

The Oak Bay Kiwanis Club will hear Dr. G. C. Carl, director of the Provincial Museum, who will speak on "Meet the Insects." His talk will be illustrated.

R. W. Miller, of Vancouver, will be guest speaker at the Lions Club meeting. His topic is "Candles in the Dark."

DANGEROUS DISEASE

Measles was a major cause of death among United States soldiers during the First World War.

The Vertical City Slain was named February 11, 1928.

MODERN FUNERAL COACH TO SERVE CITY

Grace and dignity of line, beautiful finish in every detail of fittings, these are typified in the new Flexible Hearse, purchased by J. E. Chaplin, who has recently taken over the Curry Funeral Home.

WELL-KNOWN MORTUARY UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Known to Victorians for years as over by J. E Chaplin, and in the Curry's Funeral Home, the premises future it will be known as Chaplin's on Quadra, just opposite Christ Church Cathedral, have been taken agement, the change in this well-known establishment will not only be one of name. Mr. Chaplin, who has had years of experience as a funeral director, has laid out an ambitious program of alteration and renovation. New equipment of the most modern type is being installed and a new electric organ has been purchased. Typical of the standard set is the Flexible Hearse, the first of its kind on the Coast, which Mr. Chaplin bought at the factory in Londonville, Ohio, and drove to the Coast. Powered by Buick, this is a custom-built coach, perfect in modern design as in the beautiful fittings.

J. E. CHAPLIN

CHARLEZ CURRY

In establishing Chaplin's Chapel on the foundations of the Curry Funeral Home, Mr Chaplin brings to Victoria the benefit of years of experience and business administration. Hailing from Saskatchewan, he worked for many years with such leading establishments as George Sowers of Regina, and again with the Saints' Company of Moose Jaw.

Mr. Charles Curry, familiar to all Victoria through his association with the Curry Funeral Home, will remain with the business under its new name, working closely with Mr. Chaplin in Chaplin's Chapel.

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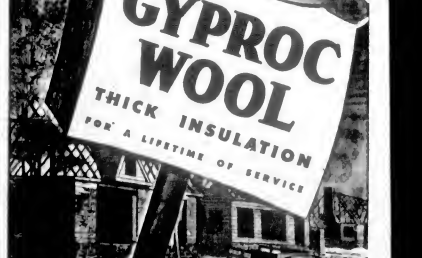

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All interested are invited to attend. Written submissions may be addressed to the Chairman, Board of Industrial Relations, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., for consideration by the Board.

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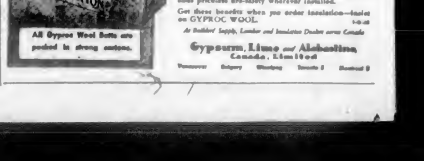

Jet Planes to Perform at Air Show

Shown is DeHaviland Vampire, one of two R.C.A.F jet planes to take part in air show at Patricia Bay September 15. Planes will land after performance. R.C.A.F. has warned spectators to stand back until motor stops and pilot gets out, because exhaust will burn clothes off anyone coming in its path up to 75 yards from plane.

Little Loot Gained by Thieves During Three City Break-Ins

Thieves gained little in three marking pen and 80 cents in cash breaking and entering in the city overnight Friday

City police reported that the Sidney Lumber Co. office Government street, had been entered and a steel tape, pair of eye glasses, a

Terms Action By Alderman "Regrettable"

"I think it is regrettable that Alderman Sklillings has chosen to make a political football of this very important matter of Victoria's transit farm," W C Mainwaring, vice-president of the B.C. Electric Company, said yesterday. He was replying to a charge made by Alderman Waldo Skillings that the company had forced the transportation committee to accept the bus fare structure under Urwala

Mr Mainwaring declared Alderman Skillings' allegations only come from a lack of knowledge of the complete background of facts." He denied the company had broken a promise in regard to the weekly pass

"In our negotiations with the Greater Victoria Committee the members of that committee were adamant in demanding a pass. They requested a $1.25 pass, and we offered a $1.50 pass

He said that when the committee insisted on a $1.25 pass he informed them he would consult with company officials on the request.

"Our company has returned with the compromise offer of $1.35," he said. "We have indicated to the municipal representatives that if they cannot agree to this figure the whole issue would have to go before the Public Utilities Commission at the time of our general rate hearing in Victoria."

Mr. Mainwaring also took issue with the suggestion of Alderman Skillings that the company had not fulfilled terms of the franchise.

"No effort has been spared in implementing the terms of the franchise and making unified transportation a fact in the Greater Victoria area with minimum delay and minimum loss of time," Mr Mainwaring said

Tyee Road, also were entered early yesterday morning, but nothing was reported missing. Entry was gained by smashing a window and releasing an inside lock. The office was ransacked. Entry was discovered by janitor Louis Kamann.

Mrs A Street, 1711 Leighton Road, reported to police Friday night that her home had been entered while she was away for about three hours

Police found entry had been made through a bathroom window which had been left open. Drawers in the bedroom were ransacked and $1 in change was reported missing. Police believe Mrs. Street may have scared the culprit away because several drawers had not been touched back door closed when the owner left, was found open.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 4 (AP)—The Rev. Virgil Allen, 31, was shot to death accidentally today by his son.

Deputy Sheriff Virgil Quinn said Allen's nine-year-old son, Richard, fired a pistol he found in the Mission

glove compartment of his father's car.

The officers said the boy was verbal hysterical and kept repeating "I didn't mean to do it. I thought it was a toy pistol."

The accident occurred as Allen started to enter his car in which the boy was sitting

Allen was head of Glad Tidings

Weather Gives Good Start to Long Week-End Holiday

Hundreds of Victoria citizens yesterday took advantage of clear blue skies and sunshine for the last official holiday of the Summer the long Labor Day week-end, by travelling to the Mainland and points Up-Island.

Officials of transportation companies said last night they were prepared to accommodate a heavy source in the number of travelers to and from Vancouver Island.

Starting yesterday, TCA began operating the first of 36 extra flights scheduled for the four-day period through to Monday

R J Burland, district passenger agent for the C.P.R. said the B.C Coast Steamship Service would run an extra sailing out of Vancouver to Victoria Monday night to take care of increased passenger traffic. E A N. Railway will run a special train to Nanaimo leaving here at 4 a.m. Monday, returning from Nanaimo at 7 p.m.

On this continent, Canada was the first to recognize Labor Day as an official holiday. In 1894 Sir John Thompson, the prime minister, introduced a bill in Parliament making Labor Day, September 1, a statutory holiday throughout the Dominion The United States followed suit the same year

To give citizens the advantage of a long week-end, the holiday was later changed to the first Monday in the month. Monday was the first trade union centre on the continent to sponsor a resolution asking that the first Monday in September be set aside as a labor holiday" Toronto was the first Canadian city to originate a Labor Day parade

In England the workers have had a Labor Day since the Middle Age. Trade guilds expanded ceremonies once a year, sometimes more frequently, to demonstrate their importance

Labor Day is celebrated May 1 by trade unions, Socialist parties, labor organizations, and a portion of the population of nearly every country in the world with the exception of Canada, the United States and Italy.

In Italy the observance of Labor Day is prohibited. In its place has been substituted the traditional celebrations marking the founding of Roma

GIANT MUSHROOMS

Giant mushrooms as large as nine inches across are so plentiful in Colquitz residents

Tom Healey, Dunsmy Road Colquitz, has been currently gathering such mammoth specimens in an open field near his house

Although this is early in the season for mushrooms, the unusual August rains have seemed to bring them on prematurely—and enormously.

Places Second In Cowes Race

COWES, Isle of Wight, Sept. 4 (CP)—Paul McLaughlin of Toronto, captain of Canada's Olympic yachting team, today piloted Mrs C. O Bennion's Joyful into second place in the 14-foot international dinghy race

Stewart H Morris in the Martlet crossed the line first to win the coveted Prince of Wales Cup for the sixth time

McLaughlin, recounting here after finishing fifth in the Firefly class Olympic event, was 43 seconds behind the winner over a squally 7-mile course

GIANT BINGO

A bingo game for 800 people is planned by the Lions Club as one feature of its annual carnival to be held at the Bay Street Armoury September 30, October 1 and 2

The game is known as "giant bingo," and has proved popular.

A large variety of games of luck and skill has been arranged for the three-day carnival.

Don Roome is general chairman of the program, and proceeds will go to the charities fund of the club

SHERBROURNE, Dorset, England (CP) — Legislation to compel motorcyclists to wear crash-helmets was urged by a Jury and doctor at an inquest here.

According to Culbertson

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A great many players whose bridge experience should have taught them better, are far too timid about doubling low-high-game contracts. The following is a typical case

East, dealer
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
♠ Q 10
♥ J 6 7 4
♦ J 10 8
♣ A 8 7 3

WEST
♠ J 8 6 3
♥ A 10 6
♦ 7 6 4
♣ J 5

EAST
♠ 7 5 4
♥ K Q 6 3
♦ A 3
♣ K Q 10

SOUTH
♠ A K
♥ 5 2
♦ K Q 5 2 3
♣ 6 5 4

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
1 ♣	1 ♦	Pass	Pass
1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♦
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West, suspecting that his partner had a short club suit, opened a trump—not that it mattered. Declarer had no chance to avoid the loss of two heart tricks, one trump and two clubs and thus suffered a two-trick defeat.

It is quite true that no great tragedy was involved in letting the opponents go down two tricks undoubled instead of doubled, but when every shred of evidence dooming the bidding points to the fact that the opposing contract should certainly be defeated, there is no great profit in accepting 100 points instead of the 300 points that would result from a double

East should have felt that it was at least 50 to 1 that the opponents would not make four diamonds—or if there was any chance of such a contingency, that West could not leave in a double. It was true, of course, that West had denied strength when he passed on the first round, over South's one diamond, but when he bid one spade on the second round, virtually denying both clubs and hearts it could be safely assumed that he did not have length in either of those suits that would kill East's tricks. Thus East could absolutely count on at least three tricks—one heart, one diamond and one club—and it would be hard luck indeed if he did not augment that total. Added to this was the incontrovertible fact that West, for his one-spade and three-spade bids, should certainly turn up with a defensive trick. Most emphatically East should have doubled four diamonds.

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Between The Book-Ends

By Jim O'Connor

Many authors, through the characters they create, have added to the English language down through the years.

This was particularly brought to mind in a recent criminal case in Toronto where an adult supervisor, charged with having in his care a juvenile Newspaper headlines called the man a "Fagin," after the famous pickpocket - professor in "Oliver Twist."

Other personages in Dickens have similarly given their names to people. When you describe some-body as a Uriah Heep, you probably mean just what Dickens did.

a "umble man with a limp handclasp, a servile, fawning person.

Shakespeare has also made his contribution. A Shylock looks in characteristically the same as he was in the "Merchant of Venice." and Falstaff, one of our favorite characters of all fiction, is used to describe a man like Major Hoople in the comic strips. Indeed, it would not be surprising if the worthy major was born of an idea put in "Henry IV."

Perhaps the most famous one of all, however, was George Bernard Shaw's creation of the mythical city of American way of life, Sinclair Lewis. In reading the phrase "Babbitt Babbitt" or the adjective "babbittonian" comes up with great regularity.

It is a good word, and one which deserves space. If the author were to describe his character in detail, he would have to use wide expanse of copy to get across his point.

Babbitt, of course, was the "average" American (or Canadian for that matter) businessman, not too intelligent but with a native shrewdness for making money. While a college graduate, Pennsylvania State University, his cultural appreciation was limited. He was, in short, a Solid Citizen, as Mr. Lewis is fond of pointing out.

The basis of all successful satire is humor, and in the book Babbitt the author is at his best. Satirical strips, Mr. Lewis says, composed Babbitt's favorite literature about him. "With the solemn face of a detective, breathing heavily through his open mouth, he plodded nightly through every picture, and during the rite he delivered interruptions."

VERY SURE

But in his views on labor unions Babbitt was very sure of himself.

A good labor union is of value because it keeps out radical unions, which would destroy property. No one ought to be forced to belong to a union, however. All labor agitators who try to force men to join a union should be hanged. In fact, just between ourselves, there shouldn't be any unions, allowed at all, and as it's the best way of fighting unions, every business man ought to belong to an employer's association and to the Chamber of Commerce. In the union there is strength. So any selfish hog who doesn't join the Chamber of Commerce ought to be forced to.

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How different is the physician today to the physician of former years. He makes no mystery of your ailment or his method of treatment of your case. He explains everything to you so as to obtain your co-operation in getting you cured. He hides nothing and takes the family also into his confidence.

Thus Dr Charles Mayo, the famous surgeon, told a congress of surgeons some years ago that the physician or surgeon who hides the facts from his patient is out of date. Of course there are a few cases in which this rule is not followed for logical reasons.

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TEN LOST IN AIRLINER

SYDNEY, Australia, Sept 4 (CP)—All 10 passengers and three crew members are feared to have perished in the crash of an Australian National Airways DC-3 airliner which ploughed into a mountain side near Quirindi, 200 miles northwest of here

Massey Stresses Need Of National Character

"On Being Canadian," by Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey (J. M. Dent and Sons).

If anyone thinks that Canada is in danger of being swallowed up economically or otherwise by the United States he should read this book by a former Canadian High Commissioner in Britain.

Vincent Massey, maintains, has achieved a distinctive nation. Canada's food should try to develop and nourish it in every way possible.

He traces the features which have given to Canada unique characteristics both politically and culturally. "I believe in Canada with pride in her past, belief in her present and faith in her future," he writes.

Canadian-American relations, Mr. Massey continues, cannot be dismissed too simply, for there are two contradictory elements in the attitude of the United States toward her neighbor—neighborly respect, benevolent ignorance and the occasional minor forgetfulness which inevitably marks all friends.

Mr. Massey, however sincere his motives may be, is demanding that Canada become more nationalistic in a world where nationalism has been the cause of wars and disruption. It is all very well, this reviewer thinks, for the Dominion to achieve greater unity and a distinctive cultural and political pattern so long as it doesn't breed too much of a

ST. HON. VINCENT MASSEY

nationalistic attitude that may prove harmful in the future

Canadians, he says, became weary of themselves as such during the war when thousands were abroad and realized for the first time that they had a nationality—M.T.

Pioneer Men Of Canada Theme of Book

"The Bodhunters," by Grant MacEwan (Thomas Nelson & Sons, Toronto) Twenty, $3.50.

Canadians everywhere, but especially west from the Great Lakes, should welcome Grant MacEwan's friendly, inspiring book, "The Bodhunters."

There is told, in brief relevant episodes of pioneer men, the story of the building of Western Canada — more particularly, of the building of our agriculture. If you have lived anywhere west of Port William you will know some or most of the men pictured in the author's conversational prose (perhaps you will have known some of them personally.

They were men of many facets, these pioneers. They were, in their beginnings, college graduates or completely unanchored, gregarious or retiring rich or poor, of varied racial and religious origins. They were one in love of the land and our products, and faith in Canada's West.

To the West, they brought the best of the best and some fine misfits that were to make our country a major source of food for the world. To the West, as the author says, they gave a personality that was their own.

They name—Captain John Palliser, Sir Sandford Fleming, George Lanfear, Samuel Lacombe, Okanagan Ellis, W. R. Motherwell, Old Doc Shaddy, Charlie Rear, Kootenai Brown.

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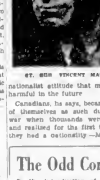
Dean MacEwan in his newest book has brought back many old friends, and with them a refreshing breath of Western Canada early days—T. M. B.



GRANT MacEWAN

Canoe Trip Of Pioneer Described

"Simpson's Journey to the Columbia" (The Hudson's Bay Record Society).

This is a limited edition of a historical document that throws light on an important step in the development of Western Canada—Sir George Simpson's account of his canoe trip from Hudson Bay through the wilderness of northwest brush and mountain to Port Vancouver.

The trip took three and a half months and was described by Simpson as "the longest voyage ever attempted in North America in one season, about 7,000 miles." By choosing fast paddlers and travelling with as little as six hours' sleep, Simpson often covered 100 miles a day.

Simpson's official purpose was to welcome Grant McTavish to his capacity as Hudson's Bay Company Governor, but many historians suggest that the northwest boundary dispute with the United States, then at its height, prompted another reason.

His route was across what is now the northern prairie provinces, up the Peace River to its source, over land 100 miles to the Upper Fraser River, and down the Fraser. Parts of the rivers he traveled, such as the Thompson River, had not hitherto explored before.

Simpson's account is supplemented by a comprehensive introduction by Dr. Stewart Wallace, librarian of University of Toronto, and appendices that include pertinent correspondence and biographical details.—R.B.B.

The Odd Corner

In the introduction of the Wilding Press "The Portable Chekhov," Editor Avraham Yarmolinsky writes that Chekhov in his earlier days both as a physician and writer, came to take a certain satisfaction in having two occupations.

"Medicine is my lawful wife, mistress Chekhov, according to the editor, "and literature is my mistress. When I get fed up with one I spend my time with the other. Though it is irregular, it is less boring this way, and besides, neither of them loses anything through my infidelity."

Eventually, says Yarmolinsky, the mistress came to supplant the wife.

"There were times when Chekhov felt that medicine sometimes hampered him as a writer. A doctor has few illusions and the he said somewhere, he deteriorates life". But his better judgment was that medical training helped his writing, giving him a more perceptive and penetrating knowledge of men and women."

Love Story Plus Adventure Form Vivid, Fresh Novel

"The Village of Seals," by Philip Child (The Ryerson Press, $3.25).

This is the story of 19th century Canada. It contains a gripping love story as well as stirring adventure.

With the indulgence of an artist, Mr Child has piled on the events of his own story precedence over the events of actual history of the time he has gained. He has created a set of characters so vivid, fresh and real, they may one day make his book a Canadian classic.

Seldom can a reader taste the flavor of early days as it is created here. In the mind of the reader emerges Jorma, in the spirit that rolled back the wilderness; the impact of the wilderness on a Norwegian is here also to the mind of his wife. Lyn, the crush of white on Indian can be felt in the mind of Jorma; the impact of the wilderness on a treachery and cruelty of the wilderness is in the mind of the swaggering, boasting half-breed, Thangue.

This is a story of loneliness and love, of death and life. It is a philosophy of the wilderness.

The book is written with rare and skill. The publishers report that Mr Child rewrote the novel four times "from stem to stern" because it was his first novel and he sufficed it to be "a poetic evocation of the spirit of those times."

The noted Canadian artist, Wilfred Roloff Beny, born in Medicine Hat, Alberta, has illustrated the book in such a way as to make it a handsome addition to any library.—L.J.

Forest Fire Total Lowest in Years

British Columbia has had less fires in this date than at any time since 1920, C. D. Orchard, chief forester, announced yesterday.

Figures released yesterday state that there have been 748 fires to date this year. In 1947, at a similar date there had been 1,231 fires costing an estimated $6,743. This year's fire loss have cost $38,300.

The 1946 figure was still higher, there being 1,538 fires up to the week ending September 4, costing $100,000.

Number of fires in the Vancouver district, including Vancouver Island, from the start of the year amounted to 167, compared with 344 at the corresponding date last year.

Thirteen fires were extinguished last week, ten fires occurred and there are seven still burning.

ADOPTS SQUIRRELS

TORONTO, Sept 4 (CP) — The Canadian National Exhibition has chalked up another first. A pair of flying squirrels who put on an aerobatic display every night are an exhibit in the pet show. They are owned by William Harper, who found them at Lake of Bays. Mischievous, shortly after their mother's death.

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NORTH SAANICH MILE 8 SCHOOL—All school children living in the area bounded by Verdun Avenue to the west on the east and Phillip Crossroad to the north on the east and Northwestern to the end of the Saanich Peninsula.

MOUNT NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL—High School pupils living in the area of Wards 6 and 5, Saanich, bounded from the eastern boundary of Ward 6 northwesterly to Mount Newton Cross Road and Wallace Drive, including Stelly's and Brentwood.

CORDOVA BAY SCHOOL—All elementary pupils living along the East Saanich Road between Saanich and Patricia Bay.

DEEP COVE SCHOOL—All elementary pupils living along Patricia Bay, and north to Deep Cove, including Patricia Bay Highway.

BUS SCHEDULE:

BUS No. 1 CORDOVA BAY MOUNT NEWTON CORDOVA ELEMENTARY MOUNT NEWTON

ROUTE A AM—

Leave Cordova Bay School for Mount Newton	7.40
Pick up all High School pupils from Wards 5 and 6	
Leave Mount Newton for Cordova Elementary	8.00
Stop Point Farm	8.10
Sayward Road	8.12
Cordova and East Saanich Road	8.15
Cordova Bay	8.18
Westbrook	8.20
Cordova School	8.40
Leave Cordova School for Mount Newton	4.00
Pick up all High School pupils from there as north	

ROUTE P.M.—

Reverse above schedule, first leaving Mount Newton High School at	4.10

BUS No 2—PROSPECT LAKE MOUNT NEWTON ROYAL OAK MOUNT NEWTON

ROUTE A.M.—

Leave Sayward Road	7.40
Prospect Corner	7.45
Jackson's Store	7.50
Beaver Lake Store	8.12
Royal Oak Corners	8.20
Arthur Meadows Corners	8.28
Leave Mount Newton via East Saanich Road	8.34
Arthur Beach Road	8.40
Leave Royal Oak	4.40
Leave Mount Newton	4.50

ROUTE P.M.—

Reverse route leaving Mount Newton	4.10

BUS No 3—BRENTWOOD NORTH SAANICH PATRICIA BAY DEEP COVE NORTH SAANICH MILE 8 SCHOOL STELLY CROSSROAD

Leave Brentwood	7.40
Pick up all children en route from Brentwood to Prospect Lake, West Saanich, Mount Newton Crossroad East Saanich	
All High School pupils from Deep Cove and Patricia Bay and East Saanich Road to Stelly Crossroad and Wallace Drive will be picked up by regular Mount Newton High School bus.	
Vancouver Island Crush Lime Kiln—Stelly Crossroad to Saanichton at 8.15.	
going south, arriving at North Saanich High School	8.20
Patricia Bay (School Bus)	8.25
Mainlines Drive (School Bus)	8.30
Deep Cove (School Bus)	8.35
Pearl Harbour	8.40
Mills Crossroad and Wilson Road	8.50
Stelly School	8.55

ROUTE P.M.—

Reverse route, first bus leaving North Saanich High School at 2.15	

JAMES ISLAND—SUTHERLAND STELLY

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Bad August

Long browers of the British Columbia coast have registered a strong complaint about the weather this Summer. During the Summer months they usually are able to make up for Winter ills—but this year it has seemed like December. Any usual August promise between 20 to 30 good weather days, but this August they were only lucky or swift.

Log-towing tugs tow their booms at the end of long cables and strong wind forces them to scurry for shelter, and a choppy sea can play havoc with even a small boom.

Many Tuna

British Columbia's tuna harvest has passed the 1,000,000 mark, it was announced yesterday.

The catch, totalling more than 1,000,000 pounds, may become the biggest yet recorded.

Fishermen still expect to ply their trade through October if the weather is favorable. Strong winds in the last few days drove the little boats into port at the fishing grounds in the Queen Charlotte Islands area.

Sea Exercise

The Royal Canadian Navy destroyers Cayuga and Crescent, and the frigate Antigonish, will carry out exercises off the coast with H.M.S. Sheffield when the British cruiser departs from Seattle on Sunday, local naval officials reported yesterday.

Antigonish will return to Esquimalt naval base Monday, while the two destroyers will continue training operations in British Columbia waters.

Leave Bases To Attend Regatta

MARINE NEWS

Trim yachts and other vessels of four Vancouver Island yacht clubs yesterday left home bases for Genoa Bay, headquarters of this year's annual Labor Day week-end regatta.

Largest contingent of boats and participants will be from the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, and officials are hoping the fine weather will continue. Today, actual races get under way, and tomorrow vessels will return to their bases.

Andrew Wright, commodore of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, will head a long list of Victorians attending the affair. Yachts and boats of all sizes and shapes will participate from the local club.

Other yacht clubs taking part in the week-end program are those of Nanaimo, Maple Bay and Cowichan Bay.

B.C. Salmon

British Columbia's salmon pack is at the second-highest level in six years, the Fisheries Department reports. Up to last week more than 900,000 cases had been packed. Only pack larger in the last six years was in 1946 when more than 1,000,000 cases were registered to the end of August.

New Vessels

Close to 130 vessels of five net tons or more received their first documents as fishing craft last July in the United States, according to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. California led with 38 vessels.

A total of 688 vessels received such documents during the first seven months of the year, compared with 702 during the same period last year.

Fewer Fish

Alaska's salmon pack totaled 3,302,553 cases on August 26, compared with 3,902,273 cases at about the same time last year, reports the Federal Fish and Wildlife Service.

Last year's total pack, reported on November 15, was 4,330,423 cases.

Poet Returns

Robert Service, poet laureate of the Klondike gold rush, was among passengers sailing from Montreal on Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada when she sailed for Liverpool at noon yesterday.

Mr. Service, accompanied by his wife and daughter, is returning to his home in Monte Carlo after attending a reunion in Vancouver recently.

Notice to Mariners

Mariners are advised the unwatched light on Northeast Point, Malaspina Strait, is reported extinguished. This will be relit as soon as possible, reports T. E. Moore, acting agent, Department of Transport.

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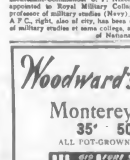

Lieutenant-Commander C. P. Nixon, D.S.C., left, of Victoria, has been appointed to Royal Military College at Kingston, Ont., as associate professor of military studies (Navy), and Squadron Leader A. M. Jardine, A.F.C., right, also of city, has been appointed acting head of department of military studies at same college, according to report from Department of National Defence.

Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

For Sunday, September 5, 1948

Today's Quotation:—'Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet lest we forget—lest we forget.'—Rudyard Kipling.

Sunday for Everyone—Attend to housing, accounts, finances, be hospitable and devoted to home ties and sisters.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19—Aries:—Be considerate to those about you, allow them to direct things.

April 20 to May 20—Taurus:—Offer aid, service. Pay some attention to clothing. Be with those in the domestic scene.

May 20 to June 20—Gemini:—Seek relaxation, get out a bit. Others are in the mood to co-operate with you.

June 21 to July 22—Cancer:—The family or domestic scene shows advantages coming to you. Be hospitable.

July 23 to August 22—Leo:—Snap judgment looks favorable in evening. Be with folks from your neighborhood.

August 23 to September 22—Virgo:—These nearby suppose you if you express a willingness to work with them. Apply your funds, belongings wisely.

September 23 to October 22—Libra:—Be in touch with people in influential positions. Exert personality, appeal at your best.

October 23 to November 21—Scorpio:—Seclusion helps you find the way around difficulties. Be poised in transactions.

November 22 to December 21—Sagittarius:—Bonds with others can be strengthened. Meet new people. Stress sociability.

December 22 to January 19—(Capricorn):—Do something to fortify your position in the community. Exert leadership when called upon to do so.

January 20 to February 18—(Aquarius):—Prize is your key to constructive thinking. Get projects set for action. Be with others.

February 19 to March 20 — (Pisces):—Clear up financial matters that have needed attention. Be ready to meet others halfway.

Planning Ahead—Good for sociability, etc. September 5, 6, 10, evenings of 18 and 19; evenings of 26, 27, daytime of 28, 29, 30.

For Monday, September 6, 1948

Monday for Everyone—Be thrifty, saving in the morning and on guard against a tendency to carelessness and re-spending. Later, ingenuity overcomes lethargy.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19—(Aries):—Inner peace results from forceful moves. Promote confidential, home matters.

April 20 to May 20—(Taurus):—Highspeed work will bring setbacks in stress efficiency. Elders can set you straight.

May 21 to June 20—(Gemini):—Concentrate on commercial interests during the morning. Move fast to gain during the middle period.

June 21 to July 22—(Cancer):—Clear away duties in a light-hearted manner in morning. Developments local enjoyable in evening, take it easy.

July 23 to August 22—(Leo):—Devote attention to work interests in the forenoon. The domestic scene is accented in evening.

August 23 to September 22—(Virgo):—Financial dealings come to the fore early Monday. Spend the evening with folks you are fond of.

September 23 to October 22—(Libra):—Make contacts with superiors and handicap in morning. Attend to possessions in evening.

October 23 to November 21—(Scorpio):—Clear away problems in the forenoon. Put plans into action.

November 22 to December 21—(Sagittarius):—Morning swift attention to things brings accomplishment. Evening, pursue a wary, economical course.

December 22 to January 19—(Capricorn):—Grasp opportunities which present themselves to move forward, real effort is called for.

January 20 to February 18—(Aquarius):—Be practical, down to earth in the morning. Advance professional interests later.

February 19 to March 20—(Pisces):—Don't over-estimate matters in the forenoon. Set proposed activities into motion in evening.

Planning Ahead—Good for sociability, entertaining, etc. September 5, 10; evenings of 18 and 19; evenings of 26, 27, daytime of 34, 35, 39. October 5, 6, 7, 8, 10.

For Tuesday, September 7, 1948

Tuesday for everyone—Those who are alert mentally, quick to perceive and to act upon impressions will make the most headway. Higher-ups can be helpful, especially in the morning and early afternoon.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19—Aries:—Make gains with people in the work scene. Stay clear of risky proposals.

April 20 to May 20—(Taurus):—Put your own affairs in the background, concentrate. Don't define ultimatums.

May 21 to June 20—(Gemini):—Your efforts are taken into account by important persons. Use dietary discretion. Enjoy the evening.

June 21 to July 22—(Cancer):—Expend energy to overtake a cherished objective. Have no part of wasteful financial moves.

July 23 to August 22—(Leo):—Attend to necessary items in domestic and work scenes. You keep calm if others are "touchy."

August 23 to September 22—(Virgo):—Forward community interests. Fortify relationships. Maintain harmony, avoid dissension.

September 23 to October 22—(Libra):—Crisp openings which lead to gain. Analysis helps in this. Have no part in extravagant activities.

October 23 to November 21—(Scorpio):—Contact those who are in a position to aid you. Stay in the good graces of superiors.

November 22 to December 21—(Sagittarius):—Take unique over with co-workers. Don't hesitate to ask assistance.

December 22 to January 19—(Capricorn):—Discuss goals with associates, they can be most useful. Don't seek or extend monetary favors.

January 20 to February 19—(Aquarius):—Contact higher-ups, others in morning. Don't get interrived with others in evening.

February 19 to March 20—(Pisces):—Concentrate on plans, decisions in morning. Double check judgment in evening.

Planning Ahead—Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.

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Cowan-Sutherland Brown Rites Held in St. Mary's Church

St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, was with small Peter Pan collar, short the scene of a wedding of wide interest on Saturday afternoon, when Barbara Stella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Cowan, 3088 Queensway, and Mr. A. Sutherland Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, 1891 Rowker Place, Architecture A dept. Nunns read the nuptial service.

Masses of dahlias gladioli, golden rod and alcyrks made an attractive setting for the ceremony.

The dark-haired wisteria bride given in marriage by her father was charming in ivory satin fashioned with long sleeves, tiered bodice, skirt, and Belgian lace bodice. Her heirloom veil of rose point lace lent by the groom's mother, was held by a mantilla lace headdress and she carried asters, carnations and sprigs of heather.

Miss Pat Cowan attended her sister. She wore frosty pink sharkskin with small Peter Pan collar, short sleeves and full skirt, tucked from waist to the hemline. She carried sweet peas, dahlias, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Colonial bouquet of carnations, roses and pink heather and wore wood Drive, exchanged vows with a halo of similar blooms in her hair.

Lt.-Col. Malcolm Sutherland Brown supported his brother. Mrs. Mr. Leslie C. Brownlee of Vancouver and Mr. M. K. Estes acted as ushers.

At the reception held in the garden at the home of the bride's parents, the parents of the young couple assisted in receiving the guests. A three-tiered wedding cake flanked by vases of gladioli, centered the bride's table. Mr. R. W. Whitlocke of Duncan proposed the toast to the bride.

For travelling the bride chose a Glen plaid tailored suit with British lab accessories with velour hat, trimmed with peacock blue, and corsage of deep yellow roses. Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland Brown will reside in Vancouver where the groom is attending the University of British Columbia.

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U.S. Women Get Good Clothes Value

By DOROTHY CAREW

NEW YORK, Sept. 4 (AP)—United States consumers, who boosted clothing sales to the highest level in history in the past few years, are paying hard to get.

And it's paying off. This Fall they will be offered the best clothing values they've had since the war, apparel spokesmen say.

Manufacturers and buying offices sum up the Fall picture for women's clothing this way:

Some prices are higher and some are unchanged. By and large, manufacturers have made an effort to hold prices down, and competition among them has made for good values.

There is a broader selection of moderate-priced merchandise available than a year ago and values in that price range are better.

Most sources agree that gabardine and worsted suits will cost women about 10 per cent more than last Fall. Dress prices are not up much, if any, fur-trimmed coats are said to be priced to offer the best value in several years, and up-in limbs all season coats are represented as "the biggest thing in the country" with most popular coats priced between $40 and $70.

A spokesman for a large low-priced chain expressed the opinion that this Fall the customer "should get a break" in cotton goods because of the decline in prices of piece goods.

Men's shirt prices for Fall are expected to be somewhat less than last year. Women's Fall business shirts available at $2.95 to $3.95.

Despite the fact that man's clothing sales have been lagging, top Fall suits are priced around 13 per cent higher than they were a year ago, an industry spokesman said.

Couple to Live On West Coast

At a pretty wedding which took place at the home of the bride on Saturday evening, Grace Lamont, second daughter of Mrs. O. R. Robertson, 3298 Blanshard Street, and the late Mr. Robert Reid Lamont, was united in marriage to Tom Staples, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staples, 899 Slater Road, Saanich. Rev. Percy Wilis officiated.

Flowers banked the bow window where the ceremony took place.

The pretty bride, given away by her step-father, Mr. O. R. Robertson, was attired in a Burgundy gabardine suit, with matching hat and forest green accessories, and carried a white prayer book flipped with a gardenia.

Miss Joyce Taylor wearing a grey two-piece wool-crepe dress with black hat and accessories and a corsage of pink and white carnations, was the bridesmaid. Mr. Bill Fraser was best man.

At the reception the parents of the young couple welcomed their friends with them. The lace-covered table, decorated with silver vases of Beechhurst roses and lighted by white candles, was centred by the two-tiered cake. Mr. Willis gave the toast. Leaving for an Ut-Island honeymoon, the bride donned a light green tropical wool gardenia corsage, over her wedding costume.

Mr. and Mrs. Staples will live at Port Renfrew.

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Social and Personal

Sir Patrick Ashley Cooper, Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company, who is a visitor in Victoria at present, will be honored on Wednesday when Mr. and Mrs. B. Russell Ker entertain at an after-five party in their home on Rockland Avenue. Other honored guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Ker's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rowan-Legg, who will arrive from Eastern Canada on Monday.

Commodore J. C. I. Edwards, C.B.E., R.C.N., and officers of H.M.C.S. Naden, Capt. H. S. Raynor, D.S.C. and Bar, R.C.N., Commandant of the Tri-Service College at Royal Roads, will be hosts at a cocktail party in the wardroom at H.M.C.S. Naden on Monday evening in honor of Rear Admiral E. Rollo Mainguy, O.B.E., R.C.N., and Mrs. Mainguy who are leaving for Halifax on Wednesday.

Miss Marion McKenzie, who leaves next week to enter nurses' training school in the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, was guest of honor when Mrs. T. Hallam entertained at her Linwood Avenue home on Thursday evening. On behalf of the assembled guests Mrs. Hallam presented Miss McKenzie with a suitable gift. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. George Randall and Mrs. W. Christiansen. Other guests were Mrs. O. McKenzie, Mrs. R. Snider, Mrs. S. Youldon, Mrs. R. Cauberry, Mrs. N. Patterson, Mrs. W. Gill, Mrs. P. Webb, Mrs. S. Tanner, Mrs. W. Rothery, Mrs. R. Cameron, Mrs. J. Knowles, Mrs. aG. Rivell, Misses Sylvia Gill, Edith Considine, Peggy Spiers, Betty Webb, Mary Gillard, M. Burton and M. Mayer.

At the Pinchin-Olsen nuptials last evening at Metropolitan United Church, the following relatives and friends from out of town were present: Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pinchin, Vancouver, Mr and Mrs. W. E. Pinchin, Ocean Park, B.C., Dr. and Mrs. D. Telier, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Chapman, Mr and Mrs. C. K. Pinchin, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Pinchin, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Pinchin, Mr. Ronald Pinchin, Mr. John Lane, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Pratty, Mr. T. Hatcher, Mr. and Mrs. D. Ferguson, Mr. Ronald Hoggert, Mr. V. Sears, Mr. R. Cave-Brown-Cave, Miss Eleanor Hall, Mr. Jack Wasserman, Mrs. R. A. Fisher, Mrs. H. Abrahams, Mr. Norman Kerwan, Mr. Bert Shoulder all of Vancouver.

Mrs. L. James and Mrs. L. Lansellie entertained at their home recently in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Robert Whipps. A corsage of pink carnations was presented to the guest of honor during the evening. A feature attraction was music for dancing and Mrs. W. Savage rendered a number of solos. Guests included Mrs. Ed. Mills, Robert Whipps, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Savage of Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Boulter, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Whipps of Duncan, Mrs. J. Irvine, Mr. Harry Whipps and Mr. Paul Forgan.

Mrs. Don Boak and little son, Bobbie, of Burleith Crescent, Saanich, returned to their home yesterday after spending a month in Vancouver where they visited Mrs. Boak's brothers, Mr. Ralph Dean and Mr. Mervyn Dean. Mrs. Boak was accompanied home by Mrs. Mervyn Dean and two small children who will spend at the Boak home for the holidays where Mr. Dean will join them.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Joyce Waters to Mr. Ted Davis last evening at St. Mary's Church were Mr and Mrs. Arnold Birks, Mr and Mrs T. H. Hornbrook, Mr. W. A. Eastwood, all of Vancouver, Capt. and Mrs A. M. Sobieraski, Mrs William Gray, all of Seattle.

Dianne and Dennis Marrion have returned to their home on Happy Valley Road after spending two weeks at Westholme, as guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson.

Mrs Sheena M. Fitzpatrick and her daughter, Miss Shirley Fitzpatrick, 1354 Hillside Drive, are leaving today to spend a vacation visiting relatives in Hollywood and San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown of Victoria, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S. Bray of Toronto are spending a few days at the Fort Hotel in Comox.

Miss Vera Critchard has returned to her home after spending ten days at Banff Springs Hotel, and Lake Louise.

Mr. Dick Burton of the United States Navy has returned to San Diego, California, to his home. 1234 Topaz Avenue.

Sylvia Petch, James Aldred Exchange Vows at St. John's

Ottawa will be the future home of Mr and Mrs. James Henry Aldred who were married Saturday afternoon at St. John's Church. Rev. Georgs Biddle officiated at the ceremony uniting the former Sylvia Dell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Petch, 1231 Montrose Avenue, and the son of Mr and Mrs. H. B. Aldred of Barry's Bay, Ont.

Gladioli in red and white formed the chief floral decorations. The service was followed by a reception at the home of the reciprocal Mr. James Edmunds, the cousin of the bride, using "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was radiant in white satin fashioned on princess lines, with sweetheart neck and lily-point sleeves, and featuring four wide panels of Chantilly lace from shoulder to hemline; the skirt flared into a train finished with the same lovely lace. From a coronet of lace, her veil was fastened to end of the train. A single strand of pearls was her only ornament, and she carried an arm bouquet of gardenias and white chrysanthemums.

The bride's attendants were Mrs R. J. Charke, matron of honor, Mrs F. Ritchie and Miss Patricia Dale, cousin of the bride, wearing identical gowns of white silk crepe with silk lace peplums draped to give a train finished with the same lovely lace. From a coronet, of lace, her veil was fastened to end of the train. A single strand of pearls was her only ornament, and she carried an arm bouquet of gardenias and white chrysanthemums.

The bride's attendants were Mrs R. J. Charke, matron of honor, Mrs F. Ritchie and Miss Patricia Dale, cousin of the bride, wearing identical gowns of white silk crepe with silk lace peplums draped to give the effect of a train. Cal-Ble-Rodes gives faster relief from the distress of peptic ulcers than any other Cal-Ble-Rodes is on sale for 35c and 45c at all Cunningham Drug Stores and other drug stores. O.C.-6

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Mrs. William Brown is spending the holiday in Vancouver, and will attend the wedding of Miss Joyce Reed and Mr John Riley before returning home.

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Bride, Groom To Make Home In Vancouver

The home of the officiating minister Rev. W. G. Wilson, was the scene of a double ring ceremony on Saturday morning, when Noreen Joyce, eldest daughter of Mrs. M. B. Nairne, 2373 Beaker Avenue, became the bride of Fredrick Harold Rowe, second son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Rowe, 838 Cowichan Avenue, Marine Place, Winnipeg.

The dark haired bride given in marriage by her brother Mr. Don Nairne, was gowned in heavy white pebble crepe and wore a veiled calot. She carried a Colonial bouquet of Briarcliffe roseboxs and coral sweet peas. As her only attendant she wore a crystal pendant set in silver filigree with matching earrings, the gift of the groom.

Both bride and groom were unattended.

While the reminder was being signed, Mrs T Guthrie sang Bless This House. She was accompanied by Mr. C. C Warren, who played the wedding music.

A reception was held at the bride's home where the bride and groom, assisted by Mrs. Nairne, greeted in pale grey with black accessories, received the guests. Dr. Wilson proposed the toast to the bride. The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and centred with a three-tier wedding cake. During the reception Mr Peter Hundsbery, accompanied by Mr. Warren, rendered violin and cello selections.

Mr and Mrs. Rowe are spending their honeymoon at Shawnigan Lake and will later reside in Vancouver. For her going away costume the bride chose a gabardine suit of forest green with matching imperial grey accessories and corsage of deep red roses.

Doncaster Heights P.-T.A. will hold its first meeting of the Fall season at the Doncaster Heights School auditorium on Wednesday at 8 p.m. There will be a short business session, after which Mr Denis Brown of the Greater Victoria Recreation Board will address the association on the value of audio-visual education in the schools.

Garden Reception Marks Moilliet-Francis Vows

Rev. G. D. Kendell and Rev. F. Pike officiated at the marriage of Sheila Valerie, daughter of Mrs. B. L. Francis, "Westridge," Rainbow Street, Victoria, and Mr. R. W. Francis of Calgary, to Antony Moilliet, son of Major and Mrs E. Moilliet, 988 Admiralty Road, Victoria, at a ceremony at St. Luke's Church, Westridge, Saturday afternoon.

Gladioli in shades ranging from pale to deep pink were used in the church.

An exquisite gown of brocaded satin featuring fitted bodice full skirt slightly on train and leg of mutton sleeves was chosen by the bride given in marriage by Mr. F. R. Ward, who was given in marriage by Mr. F. R. Ward, who wore a full-length veil of fine net belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. W. Holt Wain, which was caught at by a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses, white gladioli and heather.

Mrs. R. S. O'Callaghan of Calgary was her sister's only attendant and wore periwinkle blue taffeta with fitted bodice three-quarter-length sleeves and basque effect skirt. To complete her ensemble she wore a matching taffeta bonnet and carried a Colonial bouquet.

Mr. John Moilliet, brother of the groom, was best man and Mr David Moilliet and Mr. R. S. O'Callaghan of Calgary, were the ushers.

The reception was held in the garden at "Westridge," where Mrs. Francis, wearing a navy blue blouse, accessories and corsage of lilac, received the guests with the young couple. Mrs. Francis wore a navy blue dress with matching blue accessories and corsage of lilac.

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Mr. and Mrs. Moilliet will reside in Vancouver. The bride's mother, Mrs. Francis, wore a navy blue dress with matching blue accessories and corsage of lilac.

Couple Passes Between Guard of Honor

—Duncan Photo.

Lieut. Maurice A. Turner, R.C.N., and his bride, the former Miss Diana Jenkins, are pictured as they left St. John's Anglican Church between a naval guard of honor following their marriage yesterday afternoon.

Diana Jenkins Pretty Bride Of Lieut. Maurice Turner

A lovely all-white wedding took place in St. John's Church on September afternoon, the principals being Diana Evelyn, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. Bertram Jenkins, William Head, and Lieut. Maurice Aldina Turner, R.C.N. son of Col. and Mrs. Maurice Turner, 1884 Yale Street, Victoria.

Rev. H. M. Bolton, rector of St. Mary's Church, Metchosin, assisted by Rev. George Biddle, performed the ceremony, and Mr. Frederick Chubb played the wedding music. The church had been prettily decorated by Mrs. Ronald Taylor.

The slim, fair-haired bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of white marquisette fashioned with fitted bodice and tiered skirt. A band of ruching outlined the yoke with off-the-shoulder neckline, and her finger-tip veil of illusion net was held by a circlet of orange blossoms. A cascade bouquet of white roses and a single strand of pearls, the groom's gift, completed her charming ensemble.

Mrs. Daphne Fisk, matron of honor, Miss Phyllis Houghton, Miss Ann Debney and Miss Margaret Taylor, bridesmaids, and Anthea Fisk, the little flower girl, were a colorful quintette in their identical gowns of white marquisette caught at the waist with sashes of laurel green. They carried Colonial bouquets of red glads, the flower girl carrying a basket of the same flowers which also formed the wreaths for their hair.

Captain William M. Turner, R.C.R.A., was the best man, and Lieut. John Hertzberg, R.C.N., Lieut. R. A. V. Jenkins, R.C.N. (R.), Lieut. J. J. Murray, R.C.O.C., and Lieut. J. M. King, R.C.N., acted as ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home, where Mr. E. W. Griffith proposed the toast.

Leaving for a honeymoon at an undisclosed destination, the bride's going-away costume was cherry red with navy blue accessories. Lieut. and Mrs. Turner will reside at 651 Transit Road, Oak Bay.

For Brides-Elect

Mrs. N. E. Coates and Mrs. J. C. Haggarty were hostesses recently at a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter, 1316 Clover Avenue, in honor of Miss Elaine Coates, a September bride-elect. Corsages of pink rosebuds were presented to the bride-elect, and her sister, Miss Ruth Coates, and Mrs. J. Rowe, sister of the groom. The guests included Mrs. N. E. Coates, Mrs. M. McDonald, Mrs. M. Plater, Mrs. A. Woodley, Mrs. M. Thompkinson, Mrs. E. Coates, Mrs. I. Barr, Mrs. M. Haggarty, Mrs. D. Lloyd, Mrs. K. Des Lourier, Mrs. M. Slavin, Mrs. R. Peters, Mrs. Y. Fox, Mrs. M. St. Pierre, Mrs. E. Hodson, Mrs. W. Doyle, and Misses E. Croghan, T. Webb, P. Devenson, S. Gibson, V. Holmes, N. Jennings, D. Coates, R. Coates, Darylene Haggarty and Mr. Michael Coates and Mr. Jimmy Haggarty.

The regular monthly meeting of the members of the Ex-Wren Association will be held on Tuesday evening, September 7, in the Officers' Club, R.M.C. Dockyard. No individual notice of this meeting will be sent out.

Color Authority Tells How to Choose Clothes

Women get into trouble in choosing their clothes because the colors they like to wear all too often isn't the color that best suits their complexion.

So says a noted color engineer and consultant, Faber Birren, who tells in the September American Magazine how women should first determine their true complexion and then proceed to select the colors that will accentuate, rather than clash with it.

Birren's advice to women is beware of your favorite hue. It gives away your character and it may not become you. "No matter what colors fashion decrees," he says, "all women have to remember is that their complexions are going to be the same this year as they were last year, and the year before. If one knows what her skin coloring is and how to use the variations of the fashionable colors that best complement her complexion, her hair and eye color, she can't go far wrong."

For those who have difficulty making the proper color selections, Birren's article offers many helpful suggestions. He divides women into three somatotype types and in the first of these groups those having pink and white skin with a bluish cast, he places the pastel girl, the Irish colleen type, and the strawberry blonde.

Pastel girls should shun bright reds and wear shell pinks, baby blue and lavender. Very dark green, deep blues, grape, dark navy, black, and dove grey also are suitable.

The Irish colleen should wear clear blue, soft green, blue-green, violet, raspberry, flamingo pink, and green bright red. If dark colors are worn they should have life to them.

The strawberry blonde, according to Birren, should stick to soft colors such as grays, grey-greens, green-blues, and shades of lavender. Beigue, black, dull blues and browns are very appropriate.

The second complexion type discussed by Birren embraces two kinds of girls whose skin could be called middle-of-the-road with ruddy lights. The first of this type Birren describes as having anything from blonde to brown hair with eyes that are either blue, grey or hazel.

She can wear practically any color and while her favorite most likely is navy blue, the article says she can draw plenty of attention in blacks and browns as well.

The second girl in the medium skin classification is a brown-eyed brunette. As such she can wear Birren recommends beigue, brownies, rusts and brick, as well as grey and all shades of green.

The third complexion type embraces those having a warm olive skin with so-called golden tones, brown, blue or hazel eyes, with brown to black hair. Birren's advice to women of this description is to stay away from greyed or very delicate colors. Which tend to make the skin look sallow and fade out natural coloring. Wear such clear colors as pinks, blues, blue-greens, greens and yellow. Women of this type, says Birren, are a knockout in flowered white, natural, and creams, and also can wear yellow-reds or blue-reds with navy blue their safest dark color.

Alberta Trip Follows Rites At First United

At First United Church on Friday evening, Mary Eva Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Nagy, 76 Market Street, Victoria, became the bride of Leading Stoker John Stacy Milne, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Milne, of Alberta Beach, Alta. Rev. Hugh McLeod officiated.

Mr. Wilson Dabby gave the bride in marriage. For the occasion she wore white slipper satin with fitted bodice, sweetheart neckline and long sleeves with front panel finely embroidered in silk braid. Her embroidered veil of illusion net cascaded from a crystal beaded coronet and she carried red roses and carnations.

Mrs. Sally McLellan, as matron of honor, wore blue net and satin, while Misses Betty and Louise Nagy, as bridesmaids, wore mauve and pink silver ray marquisette. The three attendants carried carnations and gladioli and wore chapel veils held by silk net coronets. Olivia Dabby and Thelma Nagy as flower girls wore pale green taffeta and matching chapel veils and coronets.

Stoker Rud Peil supported the groom and Stoker William Sayers and Stoker Donald McDonald ushered.

The reception was held at North Ward Hall where a three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a silver vase of red roses, centred the bride's table. Petty Officer E. H. Freely proposed the toast to the bride.

For a motor trip to Alberta, where the couple will visit the groom's parents, the bride travelled in a turquoise blue gabardine dressmaker suit with a corsage of red rosebuds. She wore hat, grey shortie coat and accessories.

Leading Stoker and Mrs. Milne will reside at Esquimalt on their return.

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Clubs and Societies

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Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet at headquarters on Wednesday at 2 p.m.

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The Vancouver Island Presbytery T.F.U. executive will meet on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the First United

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The Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge No 85, will meet in the K of P Hall on Wednesday at 8 p.m.

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St. Joseph's Hospital Ladies Auxiliary will resume sewing meetings at St. Joseph's Hospital on Friday afternoon. New members will be welcome.

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The Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., met recently with Mrs. Bertha Parsons presiding. Mrs. A. E. Bumpus, film convener, Miss K. Jaffray, educational secretary and Mrs. L. Vanderpitte, treasurer, gave reports. Miss A. Kelly was welcomed as a new member. It was arranged to hold a rummage sale in October and a social afternoon after the next meeting.

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Representatives from the various groups of Metropolitan United W.A. met in the schoolroom on Friday with the president, Mrs. P. H. Parsons, in the chair. A letter was read from Miss Elda Daniels, of Korea, thanking the sewing group of the W.A. and W.M.S. ladies for the parcels of clothing and quilts which had been sent to the children. The group has made 30 quilts and numerous knitted garments this year, some of which were sent to the Fraser Valley flood victims. Plans are under way for the Fall bazaar which is to be held in the schoolroom on November 6, and a tea is planned for September 30.

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Cadboro Chapter, I.O.D.E., met at headquarters on Friday with Mrs. A. Maingrette presiding. Mrs. A. Meise reported $16.76 in the general fund and Mrs. Maingrette gave an account of the presentation of Cadboro's Memorial Scholarship to Trevor Johnston of Doncaster School on June 18. Mrs. M. Edwards reported new articles to the value of $10.85 turned in to Municipal Chapter, and $44 worth of used clothing and bedding donated to flood relief. The next sewing meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Campbell, 3066 Cadboro Bay Road, on September 14. Mrs. E. O. Morlins, who leaves for England on an extended visit shortly, was thanked for her work as food parcel convener, and Mrs. A. M. Pierson was appointed in her place. Mrs. J. R. Campbell was appointed standard bearer. Members are asked to bring handkerchiefs for the shower at the next meeting to be held October 1.

Pretty Wedding At Christ Church

Christ Church Cathedral was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon, when Dean Spencer Caldwell united in marriage Edith Pearl Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Stanley, Clandonald, Alta. and Victor Mandryk, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Mandryk, of Bergman.

The bride was attired in traditional white slipper satin fashioned with fitted bodice and sweetheart neckline. A dainty feather headdress held her floor-length veil and she carried a white prayer book topped with an orchid. She was given in marriage by her uncle Mr. Maurice Stanley.

Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Jessie Stanley, who wore mauve taffeta with matching shoulder-length veil with Colonial bouquet.

Mr. Leonard Wisch supported the groom.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. A. Semple, where the groom's brother, Mr. H. Mandryk, proposed the toast to the bride.

For an Up-Island honeymoon the bride chose a blue-grey tailored suit with black accessories and orchids in corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Mandryk will reside in Victoria on their return.

Thrift Shop Opens On September 8

The popular Thrift Shop, operated by the Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, will open its Fall opening on Wednesday, September 8.

The shop will be open from Tuesday to Saturday each week from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Mrs. Gordon Abernethy, convener of the Thrift Shop, will be in charge this year.

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Comes From Halifax to Attend U.B.C.

Miss Judy Atwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Atwood of Halifax, recently arrived in Victoria with her mother following a month's visit to the United States. Miss Atwood, who is a graduate of Mt. St. Vincent Academy, Halifax, will attend the University of British Columbia this year. At present she is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Bobbie Makowski, 786 St. Patrick Street.

—Colonist Photo

Designers Say "New Look" Out of Hand

LONDON Sept 4 (NANA)—The "new look" has got out of hand. It has led to the development of all sorts of dress monstrosities. So London and Paris are making a determined effort to bring it back to sanity.

Moiymont of London said recently that women of taste are already cold-shouldering the more distorted forms of the so-called "new look."

"It's a passing fad, like the bowlish silhouette of the '30's," he said, "or the horrible dance dresses just before the big depression, when they were full-length in front and ankle-length behind."

Like Paris, London won't have anything to do with the worst features of the "new look." Says Peter Russell, famous designer of Berkeley Square "After the display of bad fancy dresses called the 'new look' the designer of dinermaint must bring a sleep to any further violation of taste by achieving a sense of proportion.

Well, what does Europe offer instead? Digby Morton, one of the leading designers, tells me: "We are looking to use of accentuated padding or uncomfortably restricted waistlines. It has been observed that few women have the time or patience to use such laborious aids to smartness, so the soft natural curves of the figure are the new line. Shoulders are unpadded except for a minor change in artist tailor-made.

Norman Hartnell, famous designer of Princess Elizabeth's wedding gown, reported that "the fullness is now concentrated in a common-sense amplitude and in most cases is drawn to the back and draped into a decorative form of modified bustle."

Worth of London makes a specialty of sapphic tweeds, the latest development in a line in which England has always led the world. Many of the tweeds are so soft that they can be made into dresses of remarkable beauty.

Scores of buyers and visitors from America say the "London Fashion Portmight" for which 68 model firms, 41 furriers, 23 milliners and 22 coiffeurs banded together, London lifted the curtain on a new and individual fashion line — the high-waisted Empire silhouette which uses a moderate amount of material in contrast to the very wide skirts introduced earlier this year.

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Mrs. and Mrs. Harold Pinchin To Make Home in Vancouver

At a double-ring ceremony Saturday evening at Metropolitan United Church, Rev. Dr. Douglas Thiler of Point Grey United Church, officiated the marriage of Shirley Winifred, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Clem, 1043 Dragard Avenue and Harold Raymond Pinchin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pinchin, of Vancouver. Gladiolus, delphiniums and lighted tapers formed the attractive background for the service.

Entering the church with her father who gave her away the bride was charming in an ivory satin robe styled on classic lines with high neckline and shoulder drape of the same material, the bodice fastened with tiny self-covered buttons and the skirt sweeping into a train. From a satin halo her veil of fine silk net cascaded to the end of her train. A crescent-shaped bouquet of yellow roses and white gladioli completed her ensemble.

The matron of honor was Miss Mary Paterson gowned in green-gold faille with shoulder-yoke and fashioned slightly en train, with matching headdress and carrying a crescent-bouquet of cornflowers and marguerites. Miss Janice Olsen, sister of the bride, and Miss Joan Webb, bridesmaids, wore royal blue faille similarly styled and had matching headdresses. Their bouquets composed of marguerites and cornflowers were crescent-shaped.

The bridegroom had Mr. Peter Olsen, brother of the bride, as best man and Mr. Bert Stowkey and Mr. Ronald Pinchin, his younger brother, as ushers.

Mr. Vincent Pinchin uncle of the groom was soloist during the signing of the register.

The reception was held at the Olsen home, where the parents of the young couple welcomed the guests with them. The table, decorated with white gladioli and red begonias and lighted by white tapers, was centred with the three-tiered cake. Dr. Telfer proposed the toast. The honeymoon will be spent Up-Island, the bride choosing a Victor Mott suit of grey-blue cashmere with navy blue topcoat and accessories and a mauve orchid corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinchin will reside in Vancouver, where the groom, a graduate in commerce from the University of British Columbia, affiliated with Kappa Sigma Fraternity, is publisher of the Point Grey News Gazette. The bride will complete her fourth year in home economics at the same university.

Miss Mary Botting Weds Francis Cox

The marriage of Mary Maude Botting and Francis Dean Cox was solemnized at Christ Church Cathedral on Thursday morning, September 2, at a quiet ceremony with Very Rev. Spencer Hayward Elliott officiating.

The bride was attired in a becoming two-piece dress of Queen's blue trimmed with lace, with halo hat of pink roses and veiling, and wore a corsage of pink roses and carnations.

Mrs. A. Haller attended the bride as matron of honor, gowned in a wine suit with black accessories and a corsage of Talisman roses. The best man was Mr. W. George Mayfield.

A wedding luncheon was held at Cherry Bank Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox will make their home in Victoria.

Dr. O. M. Jones, Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet at headquarters on September 14 at 2 p.m. Members are asked to note change of date as final plans for the chapter's anniversary tea to be held on September 14 are to be made.

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A profusion of early Autumn flowers in pastel shades decorated St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, Saturday evening, for the marriage of Joyce, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Waters, 2483 Cranmore Road, to Edward Bartlett "Ted" Davis, only son of Mrs. Calchester Davis, 1102 Hillside Street, and the late W. A. Davis. Venerable Archdeacon A. E. del. Nunne read the nuptial rites.

The bride was lovely in white dotted moire, styled with fitted bodice, sweetheart neckline, long pointed sleeves and full skirt slightly en train. A headdress of French lace held the chapel of fine illusion net, and she carried a round bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis tied with white ribbon.

Attending the bride were Mrs. Arnold Birks, matron of honor, Mrs. Vernon Bruce sister of the groom, and Miss Frances Harrison, gowned alike in golden yellow jersey silk with raccoon bouquets of yellow marguerites and headdresses of the same flowers.

Mr. Bruce supported the bridegroom and acting as ushers were Mr. Robert Hamilton, Mr. Frederick Waters, brother of the bride, and Mr. George Todd.

Miss Phyllis Corbett sang "Through the Years."

The Oak Bay Beach Hotel was the scene of the reception where Mrs. Waters and Mrs. Davis assisted the young couple in receiving. The flower-decked table was centred by the three-tiered cake. Rev. William Hills proposed the health of the bride.

Leaving for a honeymoon motor trip to Santa Barbara, the bride green accessories and an orchid donned a light gray Barathea suit corsage with matching topcoat, gray fall hat. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will make with well used under the chin, forest, their home in Victoria.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Impey, 1748 Davie Street, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Elaine Grace, to Arnold George Hall, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hall, of Westlock, Alberta. The wedding will take place on October 9 1948.

The engagement is announced of Ellen Anna, daughter of Mrs. Mary O'Connell, Killarney Cottage, Glanford Avenue, and the late James O'Connell, to George E. Davidson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Davidson, Birnam Beak. The marriage will take place October 7, 8 p.m. St. Joseph's Church, Saskatoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Durham, 30 Boyd Street, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Alice Marie, to Mr. Bernard Archibald Gillis, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillis, 1142 North Park Street. The wedding will take place September 18 at 8 p.m. St. Andrew's Cathedral. Father D. Lehane officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Russell, 1281 Balmoral Road, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Lois Catherine, to Mr. Donald Charles Morris Thomson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Diamond, 2470 Barker Avenue. The wedding will take place on October 9, 1948 at 8 p.m. at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Dr. W. O. Morris, 4640 Marine Drive, Burnaby, B.C. announces the engagement of his daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. Vernon H. Dando, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dando, 1837 Rowland Avenue, Victoria, B.C. The wedding will take place in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Saturday, September 25, 1948, at 8 p.m. Rev. J. C. McLean-Bell, of Vancouver, will officiate.

The engagement is announced of Gladys Moira, daughter of Mrs. David Burns and the late David Burns, Victoria, B.C., to Thomas Harris, Calgary, Alta., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris, Calgary. The wedding will take place in Victoria on September 25.

Announcements in answer under this heading will be accepted at The Colonist Advertising Department, Victoria, where the charge is 50 lines and the 10 each additional line.

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GENERAL H. D. O. Crerar, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., A.D.C., and Mrs. Crerar are shown as they boarded a Trans-Canada Air Lines North Star at Montreal on Thursday on route to Holland where General Crerar will act as special Canadian ambassador on the occasion of the enthronement of Queen Juliana on Monday. Before returning to Canada, General Crerar will tour Holland, Belgium and France to visit the Canadian military cemeteries of both World Wars.

Marks Fortieth Anniversary

PARKSVILLE, Sept. 4—Mr and Mrs. E. J. Marks of Parksville recently celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary, and about 35 relatives and friends called in during the evening to offer congratulations and good wishes. The evening was spent in singing songs to the accompaniment of Mrs. H. Hubbert at the piano. Mrs. Hubbert and Miss Ethel Claudet played several piano duets. Mrs. P. Braybrook contributed to the entertainment with some songs.

The refreshment table was centred with a cake made and prettily decorated by Miss Ellen Firth. Included in the decorations were some silver leaves and flowers from Mr and Mrs. Marks original wedding cake. Assisting in serving refreshments were Mrs. H. J. Marks, Mrs. J. B. Harstone and Miss Marjorie Mesiop.

NEW TEACHER

A new appointment to the teaching staff of University School is Major Richard Newell, who recently arrived here from England.

Major Newell, who has retired after eight years of service in the Indian Army, will teach history, geography and sports.

TO VISIT VICTORIA

A. G. McColl, director of the Canadian Research Committee on Practical Education, will arrive in Victoria September 13.

Mr. McColl, whose headquarters are in Toronto, is visiting Victoria in connection with his studies in the research project.

Military Activities

36th L.A.A. WORKSHOPS

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5th (B.C.) H.A.A. REGT., R.C.A.

Tuesday, September 7—Training parade, Bay Street Armoury at 1940 hours. Battle dress.

Wednesday, September 8—Rifle Association shoot at Bay Street Armoury at 0900 hours.

Friday, September 10 — Sports parade at Bay Street Armoury at 0900 hours.

CHAINED BOOKS

The custom of chaining books to stands or reading desks was common in parts of Europe in the 14th and 15th centuries.

Coombs Holds District Fair

COOMBS, Sept. 4 — Arrowsmith Agricultural Association's annual Fall Fair at Coombs was attended by nearly 1,000 persons. Preston McGowan, president, introduced Dr. J. B. Munro, deputy minister of agriculture, who officiated at the opening.

Judges included Austin Spencer and Mrs. E. M. Young, Vancouver, pet parade; Miss Katherine Goodfellow, Toronto, domestic science, D. B. Young, Vancouver, livestock, Mrs. T. Mattinson, Nanaimo, needlework. Thomas Gould, Nanaimo, flowers. E. W. White, Victoria, fruit and vegetables. Howard Reid, Qualicum Beach, poultry, and saddle horses and riders, Lt.-Col. F. J. Thorne, Courtenay, and Mrs. O. Walker, Nanaimo. Capt. A. Barton, Qualicum Beach, was course steward. Loggers' sports were timed by Ray Young.

Pet parade prize winners were Edith King, Gail McMillan, Leonard Rinvold and Jean King.

Mrs. Walter Ford, Coombs, who is more than 90 years of age, took prizes for a quilted comforter, child's sweater, patchwork quilt and a braided rug. Mrs. E. Bateman, Errington, won first prizes for a hooked rug and a patchwork quilt.

STAGE LOGGERS' EVENTS

Winners of loggers' events included: Charles Murray, Northwest Bay, bucking; Mrs. C. Rouleau, Parksville, bucking; Charles Murray, Northwest Bay, chopping; William Baird, Northwest Bay, spiking and Mrs. T. McMillan, nail driving.

Jersey Calf Club prizes went to Arthur Brooks, Donald Brooks and Fred Brittain.

Saddle horse results included: Under 15 hands—1, Gwen Jones, 2, Lynn Adamson. Pitmen hands and over—1, Jane Banks; 2, Audrey Stevens. Reel and hands, children—1, Lynn Adamson; 2, Gwen Jones. Jumping, children—1, Jane Banks; 2, Gwen Jones. Jumping, open—1, Ann Armstrong; 2, Audrey Stevens. A. Eldrick; 2, Jane Banks. Riding, open—1, Leland Edmundson; 2, Arthur Peterson. Jane Banks, Western saddle — 1, Mrs. Mary Edmundson; 2, Walter Armstrong. Musical chairs—1, Walter Armstrong. Musical chairs—1, Mrs. Mary Edmundson; 2, Walter cloth on a handloom.

Corduroy Becoming Popular

These co-ordinated corduroy outfits, modeled by Arlene Dahl (left) and Donna Reed will soon become part of many a woman's wardrobe. They are creations of Stephanie Kost.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "If Bill was here, he would help us."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "contiguous"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Fuzzle, fuzzlade, fuzzlage.
4. What does the word "inordinate" mean?
5. Which word means "strict in regulation"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "If Bill were here." 2. Pronounce kon-tig-u-us, ig as in big, first u as in unit, accent second syllable. 3. Fuzzlage. 4. Not limited to rules or to usual bounds; excessive. "He possessed an inordinate greed and love of wealth." 5 Surcingent.

St. John Ambulance

Victoria Ambulance Division No. 1 will hold its first Autumn meeting on Thursday, September 9, at headquarters, at 8 p.m. Anyone wishing to join call Mr. A. M. Jarvis, G 3133.

Victoria Nursing Division No. 81 will meet on Monday, September 13, at 8 p.m.

Denton Holmes Nursing Division No. 146, will meet on Tuesday, September 14, at 8 p.m.

A. J. Dallain Nursing Division No. 162, first U as in unit, accent second 310 will hold its first meeting on Friday, September 10, at 8 p.m.

Denton Holmes Cadet Nursing Division No. 146C will meet on Tuesday, September 7, at 8.30 p.m. Reinstatement of new members, first aid and home nursing classes.

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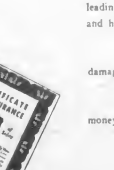

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At the Theatres

Johnson, Allyson Star in Comedy

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With Van Johnson and June Allyson cast in the breezy, light-hearted type of role which first won them

Six Stars Cast In Goldwyn Epic

Hollywood approval, and with the ingratiating ten-year-old Butch Jenkins lending staunch assistance, this picture emerges as one of the freshest and most rib-tickling comedies of the year.

ant interpretation of Samuel Goldwyn's new dramatic production for RKO Radio release, "The Best Years of Our Lives" develops in highly vivid form the emotional experiences encountered, each with his own crisis, by three men and the women they love. Top-billed in the picture are Myrna Loy, Fredric March, Dana Andrews, Teresa Wright, Virginia Mayo and Cathy O'Donnell, new Goldwyn discovery. The picture will be showing at the Odeon Theatre this week.

DENHAM, Buckinghamshire, England (CP)—Spitfire, which were to be put on Denham's famous "Lover Gate" to cramp courting couples' style, will not be put there after all. The Parish Council was not sure the gate belongs to them, so the lovers were reprieved.

Musical Starts At Plaza Theatre

In "One Night With You," the new Two Cities musical picture which comes to the Plaza Theatre on Monday, two actors got more than a mere dose of their own medicine. Stuart Latham and Judith Purse have the roles of servile, senseless script writers who work for a fiery, temperamental Italian film producer, played by Charles Goldner, himself a producer in real life.

"South Riding" Starts at York

The engrossing drama of a man who was bound to one woman in love with another, and yet, by a strange set of circumstances, found both beyond his reach, is vividly depicted in "South Riding," Alexander Korda's screen version of the well-known novel, which begins at the York Theatre on Monday.

"Emperor Waltz" Stars Crosby

The Royal Theatre will roll out the red carpet tomorrow for Paramount's Technicolor romance-with-music, "The Emperor Waltz," with the King of Song, Bing Crosby, and lovely Joan Fontaine in the starring roles. The film is the most lavish and elaborate to come out of the Paramount Studio since before the war and report has it that nothing is equal it has yet come from Hollywood.

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ON THE SCREEN

Atlas — "The Bride Goes Wild," starring Van Johnson and June Allyson.

Capitol—"The Pirate," starring Judy Garland and Gene Kelly. At 12.33, 3.43, 6.53, 9.03, 9.13.

Dominion — "The Return of Rin Tin Tin," starring Rin Tin Tin III, Bonny Blake and Donald Woods. At 12.30, 2.57, 5.25, 7.54, 8.53.

Esquimalt — "Dishonored Lady," starring Hedy Lamarr and Alexis Smith.

Odeon—"The Best Years of Our Lives," starring Myrna Loy, Fredric March, Dana Andrews, Teresa Wright, Virginia Mayo and Hoagy Carmichael.

Plaza — "One Night With You," starring Nino Martini and Patricia Roc.

Rio — "Manpower," starring Edward G. Robinson, Marlene Dietrich and George Raft.

Royal—"The Emperor Waltz," starring Bing Crosby and Joan Fontaine.

York (International) — "South Riding," starring Edmund O'Brien, Sir Ralph Richardson, Ann Todd, Marie Lohr, Edna Best and Glynn Johns.

Capitol Features Cole Porter Hits

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Rin Tin Tin III Starts Film Career

To the following of motion picture history the name of Rin Tin Tin is synonymous with Lee Duncan, discoverer and trainer of the most famous motion picture dog star. Rin Tin Tin, made 22 pictures and film history for First National Brothers Studios. Rin's grandson, Rin Tin Tin III, is launched on a film career in the new Vitacolor drama, "The Return of Rin Tin Tin," now playing at the Dominion Theatre.

How It Started

By JE. N NEWTON

"THE LAND OF NOD"

One of our readers inquires for the origin of the expression "The Land of Nod" as a way of alluding, for children, to the idea of sleep.

The "Land of Nod," word for word, appears first, of course, in the fourth chapter of the Book of Genesis. It was the land where Cain went to dwell after he had slain Abel.

"And Cain went out from the presence of the Lord, and dwelt in the Land of Nod, on the East of Eden."—Genesis iv, 16.

However, as a mythical place for good sleepers, one finds the expression first in the work of the great Irish satirist of the late 17th and early 18th century, Jonathan Swift.

In Swift's well-known "Polite Conversation," or to give the work its original and complete title, "A Complete Collection of Genteel and Ingenious Conversation," Swift used the metaphor, "Going into the Land of Nod," to say that he was going to sleep. This was apparently a simple pun on the word "nod," as nodding in sleep.

And ever since generations of children have thought of Nod as some magical land, and the grown-ups who have familiarized the youngster with the term have imagined it as they came by it to their own childhood, a mythical place conceived by a teller of tales, a fabulist writing to enchant the imagination rather than to prick with the barb of satire, as was the way of Swift.

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LONDON (CP) — "For sale—one church, complete, but needing repair," says a notice outside war-damaged Independent Church, Lambeth, southwest London. If no buyers show up, the church will be auctioned.

Little Stories for Bedtime

BY THORNTON W. BURGESS

BUSTER BEAR AND FARMER BROWN'S BOY

When Buster Bear got over his first fright after he dropped from the big hemlock tree where Farmer Brown's boy had surprised him feasting on the honey of Busy Bee he stopped running. By this time he was some distance from the tree, for he has to be in good shape as he appears to be Buster can run very fast and can cover a lot of distance in a very short time. He turned long time, too, when he did, of course not, for the very good reason that no one ever knows him. You know Farmer Brown's boy had run in just the opposite direction. But Buster Bear had been too badly frightened when he dropped from the hemlock tree to know in which direction Farmer Brown's boy had gone. So he ran and ran very still and strained his ears for some sound that would tell him that he was being followed. The Green Forest was very still. Only once did he hear anything to tell him that there was another living thing there. A Merry Little Breeze wandering through the tree-tops brought him the sound of Sammy Jay's voice. It was very faint, but it was enough to make Buster growl a deep rumbling, grumbly growl. Sammy Jay, was laughing at him all the way he had dropped out of that tree at the sound of Farmer Brown's boy's yell. It hurt Buster's pride, for Buster is no more fond of being laughed at than anyone else.

The Merry Little Breeze passed on and Buster heard nothing more though he listened and listened with all his might. He tried to make his ears to find out if there was any man afraid in the air. You know Buster has a very wonderful nose, and he depends on it a great deal. But all he could smell was honey. You see it was still smeared all over his face and nose. After a while he felt more that no one was following him, and then he began to think of other things. You sir, he began to think of other things.

In the first place, he ached from the bumps he had received when he dropped out of that tree. He had been too frightened to feel them before, but now they were sore. But worse than those were the stings from the bees. He hadn't minded those while he was filling his stomach with that delicious honey, but he did now. It seemed to him that those bees had found every tender place on his whole body. He ached and he smarted all over, but the smarts were worse than the aches, a great deal worse. It seemed to him that he felt one in a new place every other second.

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear me! I almost wish I had never found that honey," groaned Buster "It wouldn't be so bad if I had gotten all of it

Buster is very greedy, but to be chased out of half of it, and then have to ache and smart the way I do is cheatful. I can't stand this much longer. I've got to do something. I've got to find some mud and I've got to find it soon. I'll go crazy if I don't. There's nothing like good cool mud to take the smart out of the bee stings. And I guess I need a bath. I'm a mess, messy certainly is a sticky stuff. There isn't water enough in the Laughing Brook for a bath. There's pond of Paddy the Beaver. Oh, dear! Oh, dear! I wish I was there this minute." So Buster set out for the pond of Paddy the Beaver.

Now Farmer Brown's boy's one thought when he yelled and ran was to get away from those bees as soon as possible. At the moment he quite forgot Buster Bear. He heard the crash of breaking branches as Buster dropped out of the tree, and then he heard Buster crashing his way through the Green Forest as he ran away, but he was too busy fighting angry bees to realize what it all meant then. Later he did and chuckled as he thought of what a fright Buster must have had. The bees did not follow him far, and pretty soon, quite out of breath, Farmer Brown's boy stopped to rest. But it wasn't for long. The stings from the bees smarted too much My, how they did smart!

"Mind," said Farmer Brown's boy, "I've simply got to get some mud. My face will be swelled up like a balloon if I don't. Let me see, this isn't far from the pond of Paddy the Beaver. There will be plenty of mud there. I was going there anyway." So Farmer Brown's boy set out for the pond of Paddy the Beaver

Next story: Paddy the Beaver Sees Brown Things.

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Lomakin Predicts Return to U.S.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 4 (AP)—The newspaper Stockholm Tidningen today quotes Jacob Lomakin, former United States State Department consul-general in New York, as saying he might return to the United States as a member of the United Nations Commission on Freedom of the press.

The newspaper carries a report of an interview with Lomakin aboard the Swedish liner Stockholm. Lomakin, whose ousting was demanded by the United States State Department, is scheduled to arrive at Gothenburg, Monday.

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Finance—Commerce—Markets

Cattle Prices Retain Levels

OTTAWA, Sept. 4 (CP). — Cattle markets across Canada continued the "shaking down" process following the recent upsurge in values, with no material changes reported by the Agriculture Department reported in its weekly livestock review.

Receipts were curtailed at yards and plants, while a return to cooler weather gave some impetus to the dressed beef trade. Although prices showed no great upturn, there was more life to the week's trading.

A light cattle run was cleared at Toronto at steady to stronger rates, with weightly steers $20-$25, and butcher steers, $16-$22.50. Montreal had no good steers on offer, and mediums brought $15-$19, and good cows, $16-$17.

Winnipeg had a reasonably good demand, with prices steady, and killing steers of only plain to medium quality brought $15-$20, while fleshy short-keep feeders sold $22-$23, and some good weighty steers, $24-$25. Calgary paid $21-$23 for best steers; Edmonton, $20-$23; Prince Albert, $22. Moose Jaw, $19.50. Saskatoon, $20.50. Regina, $22-$23, and Vancouver, $25-$26.

Shipments of slaughter and feeding cattle to the United States during the week accounted for 14,623 head. This makes the total 36,917 since removal of export restrictions on August 16. Exports of calves were 3,096 head, and the total since August 16 was 6,900. Cattle exports for slaughter were 2,062 head for the week, making the total of 4,423 since August 1. Exports of dairy cattle and purebreds this week totaled 2,370, to place the total for the year to date at 74,670.

TORONTO PRICES HIGHEST

Toronto paid $36-$38 for best veals. Montreal, $30-$35. Winnipeg, $26-$28. Calgary, $26-$27. Edmonton, $22. Prince Albert, $20. Moose Jaw, $19. Saskatoon and Regina, $21-26, and Vancouver, $23.25-$24.50. At Montreal, grade "A" were $32, and Charlottetown, $31.50. F.O.B.

Lamb prices moved into sharply lower ground. Toronto paid $28 for good lambs. Montreal, $29. Winnipeg, $25-$27.50. Calgary, $20. Edmonton, $20-$21. Prince Albert, $20.50. Saskatoon, $18-$20, and Vancouver, $22-$23. Grade "A" wrinkle sold dressed at Moncton at $42.

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Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Sept. 4 (CP) — Very liberal hedging pressure in all grains appeared on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange as farm deliveries of new crops to elevators reached their season peak. More than 6,000,000 bushels of all grains, including wheat, were delivered from farms.

In the oats and barley, strong American and shipper buying absorbed most offerings. American accounts were also buying heavily in rye on the recession so prices in all grains declined. Processors were on the buying side of flax.

The United Kingdom took 426,000 bushels of Canadian wheat. Class 2 wheat prices were reduced 1 cents from Friday.

(E. & E. Number 1.)				
Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	221 ¼	225 ¼	219 ¾	220 ¾
Dec.	224 ¾	229 ¾	223 ¾	225 ¾
May	227 ¾	232 ¾	226 ¾	228 ¾
July	228	233	227 ¾	229 ¾
Oats—				
Sept.	101 ¾	102 ¾	100 ¾	101
Dec.	103 ¾	105 ¾	103 ¾	104 ¾
May	105	106 ¾	104 ¾	106 ¾
July	105 ¾	107 ¾	105 ¾	106 ¾
Barley—				
Oats—	70 ¾	72 ¾	70 ¾	71 ¾
Sept.	70 ¾	72 ¾	70 ¾	71 ¾
Dec.	72 ¾	74 ¾	72 ¾	74 ¾
Flax—				
Sept.	75 ¾	76 ¾	75 ¾	76 ¾
Dec.	78 ¾	79 ¾	77 ¾	78 ¾

Fruit Crop Down

OTTAWA, Sept. 4 (CP) — The Bureau of Statistics, on the basis of mid-August reports, made slight alterations to its July estimates of 1948 fruit production, but indicated no drastic change, compared with last year's crop.

The apple crop now is estimated at 13,600,000 bushels, 1 per cent below the 1947 production of 13,818,000 bushels.

There was some improvement in the outlook for pears, with this crop now set at 788,000 bushels. This is still 18 per cent smaller than the 966,000-bushel crop of a year ago.

Peach prospects are practically unchanged, and a crop of 1,850,000 bushels is expected, some 18 per cent larger than that of last year.

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Cost of Living Outlook Gives Reason for Hope

MONTREAL, Sept. 4. (CP).—Canada is closing the summer and preparing to enter Autumn with security and is high gear, and there is reason that way for some time to come.

Employment is at an all-time high, as the country expands in nearly every direction. Production is climbing to the 13,000,000 mark, and a record tourist season is predicted. The farmlands are starting to yield their Fall harvests, and the wheat crop, seriously threatened earlier, now promises to be somewhat better than last year, even if below average.

Virtually, the only sour note, though a considerable one, is the cost of living. That and the recurrent question, "what next?" was raised into the minds of the present generation by the depression of the '30's.

On the cost of living, optimism waxers almost from day to day. But at the moment there is growing backing for the view that it will flatten out within the next six months. Some stiff brakes are now influence from the international scene.

Other answers to "what next?" will be found in a variety of places.

Domestically, Canada will have vital matters to think over. The recent polling and hailing on the freight rates question looks like a curtain-raiser on a deep look at the very foundations on which the country operates economically.

RATES IMPORTANT ISSUE

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Appoint Directors

At the annual meeting of the C. & C. Taxi Service the following were elected directors: R. J. Fairbairn, B. H. Gunning and C. A. Bovey. At a board meeting held after the annual meeting, the following officers were named: Mr. Fairbairn, president, Mr. Gunning, secretary and chairman of the board, Mr. Bovey, company director. F. C. Tucker, manager; J. D. Gordon, superintendent, and Robert Sinclair, chief dispatcher. The appointment of George A. Touche & Company as auditors for the company was also confirmed. The company's bankers are the Royal Bank of Canada.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Sept. 4 (AP)—With a long week-end holiday coming up, the grain market was allowed to drift lower. There was no real pressure on the market, but demand was very light. Some selling in wheat came from the southwest, and this cereal was the weakest on the board. The July, 1948, contract, fell more than 6 cents at times.

Corn acted better than wheat. Prices in the cash market were a little easier, but did not duplicate Friday's sharp break. Oats eased under the brunts of fairly heavy local selling in the September contract. Rye dropped a little, while soybeans showed practically no change.

(E. & Number 1.)				
Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	217 ¾	220 ¾	216 ¾	217 ¾
Dec.	222 ¾	225 ¾	221 ¾	222 ¾
May	223 ¾	226 ¾	222 ¾	223 ¾
July	224 ¾	227 ¾	223 ¾	224 ¾
Corn—				
Sept.	147 ¾	148 ¾	146 ¾	147 ¾
Dec.	149 ¾	150 ¾	148 ¾	149 ¾
May	151 ¾	152 ¾	150 ¾	151 ¾
July	152 ¾	153 ¾	151 ¾	152 ¾
Oats—				
Sept.	70 ¾	71 ¾	70 ¾	71 ¾
Dec.	72 ¾	73 ¾	72 ¾	73 ¾
May	73 ¾	74 ¾	73 ¾	74 ¾
Rye—				
Sept.	100 ¾	101	99 ¾	100 ¾
Dec.	97 ¾	98 ¾	97	98 ¾
May	97 ¾	98 ¾	96 ¾	98 ¾
Soybeans—				
Sept.	224 ¾	225 ¾	223 ¾	224 ¾
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Province of British Columbia Public Utilities Commission

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and

IN THE MATTER OF an inquiry into the rates and property of British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited, and its associated and subsidiary companies

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public hearings will be held by the Public Utilities Commission commencing at 10:00 a.m. on September 20th, 1948, at Room No. 211, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., in connection with the rate structures of British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited and associated and subsidiary companies for all services furnished in the Vancouver Island South area.

The hearings follow from investigations commenced under the "Public Utilities Act" in 1939, in connection with which findings have already been made respecting appraised value, reasonable and proper allowances for depreciation, fair and reasonable return on the appraised value, and other important matters, and will deal with general rate adjustments shown to be necessary. The matters to be dealt with include applications by the companies for increases in transportation fares and in flat rates for residential electric water heating.

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Predict End of Food Shortage, Reduced Farm Income in 1949

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4 (AP).—The case of finished products, both war and postwar period of shortages as meat, dairy and poultry products and high prices of farm and food sugar and food fats.

A new era of surpluses is at the threshold.

Surpluses will develop first with the major food materials, such as grains. They will come later in the grains. Already the United States is beset with apparently massive surpluses of potatoes and dried fruits. A wheat shortage which plagued the country only a few months ago has disappeared. Farmers are harvesting the second largest wheat crop in history. There will be plenty to meet all U.S. needs and send perhaps a record quantity abroad.

The largest corn crop on record is nearing maturity. Livestock feed bins, which had run dangerously low as a result of last year's corn crop failure, will be overflowing.

It is quite possible that the end of next year's harvest will see the end of food shortages and the end of rising food prices.

But this would bring back many of the problems of depressed farm prices and income which plagued farmers—and the country—during the late '20s and '30s.

FARM OFFICIALS WORRIED

Already farm officials and farmers are beginning to worry. Wheat prices have dropped more than 30 per cent in six months. They now are down to the level at which the Agriculture Department is required by law to support them. The regular market is unable to take all wheat being offered.

As a consequence, much of the new crop is being stored by growers under Government price-supporting loans. The same thing is expected to happen with corn this Fall.

Should next year's crops be large ones, the result could be troublesome surpluses. These surpluses would move into the hands of the United States Government. Price support laws require the Government to take them over.

The Government would be faced with the problem of what to do with the surpluses. There are a number of possibilities.

Undoubtedly there will be pressure to have the Government sell these surplus supplies to domestic users at cut-rate prices. Or the Government might protect farmers' income by buying the entire farm production—not just surpluses—at prices promised farmers and reselling at the cut-rate prices.

It is quite likely that cut-rate "dumping" of surpluses abroad, particularly in Western Europe, may be one means used in the years immediately ahead to dispose of surpluses.

There always is the possibility that the Government will return to a "hands-off" farm policy, such as existed before the New Deal. Under this policy, if farmers produced too much they suffered in terms of low prices.

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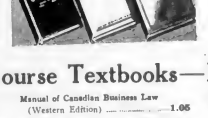

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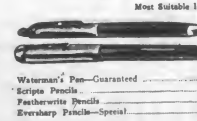

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Jokers Start Fast; Nanaimo Wins, 8-3

Up-Island Lacrosse Club Within Game Of Island Title; Play Here Tomorrow

Failing to penetrate a solid defensive bulwark again after a quick scoring burst in the first quarter had given them a 5-0 lead, Roy Woolsey's Jokers took an 8-3 lacking at Nanaimo last night in the fifth game of the best-of-seven Island box lacrosse finals. The series now stands 3-1 in favor of Nanaimo with one game tied and Jokers must win in the sixth game here tomorrow to retain their title chances.

Jokers completed their scoring chores for the evening by the eight-minute mark of the opening period and in a game marked by extremely-tight defensive play and solid goal tending by Fred Pulla and Bill Andrews.

Ralph Tempelo opened the scoring for Jokers (First game of series) at 1:40 of the first period and gave his club the lead for the final time a minute later.

There was no further scoring until the seven-minute mark of the first quarter, when Don White drove through to give Nanaimo a 5-5 lead. Earl Dennie, twice, and Don White fired the last goals of the game past Andrews with Gold setting up the last two.

Teams follow:

Nanaimo — Pulla, Garland, R. Dennie, Meadus, Read, I. Calverly, Doa, White 2, Gold 6, E. Bennie 3, Grant, Derman, Dag White, Green. Total—8

Jokers—Andrews, Beaven, Thomas, Tempelo, Hoffman 2, Tegart 3, Gewert 2, Ellis, Walker 1, Ovchardt, McLean, Beaks, McMillan, Scoggins. Total—3.

Sports Fixtures For the Holiday

TODAY

GOLF

8:00 a.m.—First two rounds of Royal Colwood Golf Club.

CRICKET

11:30 a.m.—Seattle vs. Oak Bay, Windsor Park.

SOFTBALL

1:30 p.m.—B.C. men's senior "C" final, B. & K., New Westminster, vs. Canadian Scottish, Central Park. (First game of best-of-three series. Second game follows at 4.00 p.m.)

TOMORROW

GOLF

8:00 a.m.—Final two rounds B.C. Closed Championships, Royal Colwood Golf Club.

LACROSSE

3:30 p.m.—Nanaimo Palaces vs. Jokers, Stevenson Park. (Sixth game of best-of-seven series).

BASEBALL

2:30 p.m.—Bremerton Bluejackets vs. Victoria Athletics, Royal Athletic Park.

8:00 p.m.—Bremerton Bluejackets vs. Victoria Athletics, Royal Athletic Park.

SPEEDBOAT RACING

1:30 p.m.—Labor Day Regatta, Cordova Bay

AUTO RACING

7:30 p.m.—Holiday card featuring 50-lap Canadian championship race.

TUESDAY

BASEBALL

8:00 p.m.—Bremerton Bluejackets vs. Victoria Athletics, Royal Athletic Park.

Less Than 1,500 See San Diego Edge Acorns, 4-3

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Sept. 4 (AP)—Xavier Rescigno chalked up his 17th victory of the season in pitching San Diego to a 4-3 victory over Oakland in a Pacific Coast League game today. The smallest crowd of the year, 1,467, turned out for the seven hour and 20 minutes game—longest played here this season.

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Oakland	010 011 000—	3	11	1
San Diego	000 003 004—	4	8	0

Batteries—Tobin and Raimondi; Rescigno and Ritchey.

	R	H	E
Hollywood	000 000 000—	0	5	1
Sacramento	110 010 20x—	4	8	1

Batteries—Kennedy, Albeda (7) and Gladd; Magg and Moore. R H E

	R	H	E
Seattle	023 000 310—	10	16	0
Los Angeles	111 000 020—	6	12	1

Batteries—Fletcher, Hall (6), and Hensley; Anthony, Lanfranconi (3), Prer (8) and Novotney. R H E

	R	H	E
Portland	000 102 000—	3	6	0
San Francisco	300 000 001—	4	10	1

Batteries—Johnson and Beard; Prer, Cibulka (8), and Howell.

SOCCER PRACTICE

The Esquimalt Meal Market under 14 soccer team will hold a practice game at Victoria West Park on Wednesday at 6 p.m. All players interested are requested to turn out.

LAWN BOWLING

Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club is holding draw games tomorrow at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. All bowlers are invited to compete.

More Big Names For Tacoma Meet

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 4 (AP)—Vic Obeesi, Professional Golfers' Association of America champion 1941, Ken Wood, Jr., of Hollywood, Calif., and Al and Henry Samuelson, Portland brother act, have filed entries in the forthcoming $12,000 Tacoma Invitational. It was announced here today.

John H. Anderson, entries chairman, said more than 50 professionals, many of them now playing in the Reno open, have entered the September 16-18 tournament here.

Bowler Stars As Ex-Airmen Upset Oak Bay

Ex-R.A.F. scored a stunning upset when they defeated Oak Bay, 48-16, in the inter-city match at Macdonald Park yesterday.

The ex-airmen went in first and were retired quickly by the bowling of Frank Harrison and Riggs. The latter took six wickets for 26 runs, while Harrison captured four for 31. Woodruff with 15 runs was top batter.

Although faced with the task of overcoming the small total, the Oak Bay team was unable to do anything with the bowling of Doug Day and Ben Twamley. Day took six wickets for five runs and Twamley captured four for four runs.

The defeat was Oak Bay's third of the season. Losses have been nine men and were weakened considerably by the absence of Ted Perkins.

At Beacon Hill, Albions trimmed Incogs, replying with 73 runs for six wickets after relirting the losers for 41 runs. Davidson, with 26 runs, and Jim Cockram with 25 paced the Albion attack. Ted Cakman topped the bowlers, taking five Incog wickets for 13 runs. Godfrey Newman took four for 18 for the losers.

Five C's trounced Duncan, 161-46, in an exhibition match at the Duncan city. Richards and George Payne retired with 38 and 21 runs, respectively. Leslie Jack Payne scored 20 not out for the churchmen. H. M. Chacksfield, with 11 not, was top for only Duncan batter to reach double figures.

Mangrum, Metz Tie Hogan For Reno Lead

RENO, Nev., Sept. 4 (AP)—Three players were tied today in the Reno $10,000 open golf tournament, with halfway scores of 136.

They were the tournament favoritism, Ben Hogan with 69-67, and Lloyd Mangrum with 68-68, and Dick Metz with 69-69.

Hogan, holder of the United States and British open and U.S.A. titles, shot the Washoe County Club course in 34-33. Mangrum, ex-national champion, turned in a 32-35. Metz, an outsider in the betting came home with 35-33.

The trio, as they prepared to start the third round of the 72-hole event tomorrow, were eight strokes under par.

Close up to the leaders was Elmo Wilson, who totaled 69 of 68-69—137. Vinoe had a 33-36 today.

Ken Venturi at 138 were Ed Lafoon with 66-69, George Schneider, 69-69, Clayton Heafner, 66-70, and Ed Furgol, Oliver, 71-67.

Other scores included: Dave Ellis, Wauna, 71-69; Ralph Guldahl, Joe Moiel, Portland, Ore., 72-70—142; Al Zimmerman, Portland, Ore., 73-69—144. Emery Zimmerman, Portland, 70-74—150.

Gorge Vale Members Set to Buy Property

Negotiations are under way for the purchase by club members from the Hudson's Bay Co. Ltd. of the land on which the Gorge Vale Golf Club is situated and indications are that the ringed layout will become club property within the near future.

While no definite terms have been agreed upon as yet, it has been learned that negotiations are past the preliminary stage and will likely be completed at a meeting of committees representing the club membership next with a representative of the present owners. In the past the club has paid a yearly rental for the use of the land. Representing club members in the deal are J. R. Clark, Dr. D. Ross Bay Ms. Jamison, Lee Dorman and John Smith.

Ladysmith Nine Loses to Victoria

An all-star nine from the Victoria women's senior "B" softball league defeated Ladysmith, 19-7, in an exhibition game at Ladysmith yesterday.

Joycelyn Richmond of Longford was the winning pitcher, while Betty Mitchell hurled for the losers.

Del Lehman of New Method passed the Victoria sixsome with a grand-slam home run in the second.

Deer Me! What Goes On Here?

TTS only photographers' stunt pulled at Malahat Sportsmen's show, but it reminds that another hunting season is close at hand. Island hunters will return to woods next Saturday morning with high hopes of helping family budget by bringing home the bacon, pheasant steaks. With price of animal steak being what it is, there should be near-record outpouring of diamond. Prospects of fine hunting season are excellent, according to reports.

Aussie Duck Cup Squad Suffers Crushing Defeat

By GAYLE TALBOT

FOREST HILLS, N.Y., Sept. 4.—It is a bleak Pressley Bunkum and Ted Schroeder just about three hours and 18 minutes today to crush and bury Australia's hopes of taking the gleaming Davis Cup back to the land Down Under.

In one of the most disastrous routs in cup history, Schroeder humbled Bill Sidwell, "baby" of the Aussie squad, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4, and Schroeder humiliated the 36-year-old Adrian Quist, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0, 6-0.

So one-sided was the opening day's competition that the 8,000-odd who sat in the big Forest Hills tennis stadium had few chances to cheer. Quist, one of the world's great tennis players gave a sad spectacle as he lost 12 straight games to Schroeder. He practically gave up.

All the Americans need to win the international trophy for the third straight time is one victory in the three remaining matches, and they almost surely will get that tomorrow when Gardnar Mulloy and Billy Talbert play Quist and Colin Long in the doubles.

Some results tonight that the Aussies, in 1939, came back to win a challenge round at Philadelphia after losing the first two singles Quist was one of the heroes of that era, rally. But his legs are nine years older than they were on that historic occasion, and the little Aussie no longer possesses the terrific will-to-win he once had.

Sidwell made a game fight against Parker in the opener, but he simply had no chance against the opponent Frankie who was at, or very near, the greatest form of his long and honorable career.

Prairie Squad Takes Narrows Three Straight

SASKATOON, Sept. 4 (CP)—Saskatoon Merchants brought was the Western Canada men's senior softball championship by defeating Vancouver Merchants 6-1 to take the three-out-of-five series in straight games. The Saskatoon team won the first two games with scores of 4-3 and 5-2.

Veteran Joe Thompson, who pitched and won his own game with a ninth-inning single in the series opener, did the Saskatoon hurling again tonight. He gave up eight hits, but only in the fourth inning, when Vancouver scored twice, was he in real trouble. Thompson struck out the game's last batter. Corky Levine, to choke off a possible Vancouver rally after the coast team had made its score 6-3.

Between them, Joe Naples and Ken Lewis accounted for five of the Vancouver hits, the former getting three.

Art Dennis, Saskatoon first baseman, clouted a homer with a mate on base in the second inning. The game was replete with thrilling field plays, but two of the three Vancouver errors figured in the Saskatoon scoring. The Merchants played errorless ball behind Thompson.

	R	H	E
Vancouver	000 200 001—	3	8	3
Saskatoon	002 101 00x—	6	7	0

Batteries: Reds and Levine, Thomas; Thompson and Richardson.

Von Nida Scores

LONDON, Sept. 4 (CP)—Norman Von Nida of Australia, in a spectacular comeback after a slump operation, won the Lotus professional golf tournament yesterday by firing a par of 69's on the last two rounds.

Trailing by four strokes at the halfway mark, Von Nida stormed home to finish with an overall total of 276 (71,400) with a score of 271.

Dai Rees, British Ryder cupper, equalled Von Nida's performance on the last two rounds but finished second with 277.

EQUIMALT PRACTICE

The Esquimalt Athletic Association division one juvenile soccer team will hold a practice Tuesday night at Victoria West Park at 6.30 o'clock. All last season's players and any others interested are asked to attend.

Turnesa Regains Crown After Ten-Year Interim

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 4 (AP)—William Peter Turnesa, 34-year-old "kid brother" of the famous golf family, was crowned Mid-South States amateur championship today with a 3 and 2 victory over Ray Billows in an all-New York final contested in a drizzle.

It was one of the most fantastic finishes of all the 48 tournaments played, electrifying a crowd of 1,500 that had followed the finalists through 27 holes of hard medioocre play, over the 6,811-yard Memphis Country Club course.

Turnesa, the tiny automaton from Elmsford, N.Y., turned into the last nine holes with a two-up advantage only to see Billows rack up three holes in a row to go ahead.

The jovial pipe-smoking salesman from Poughkeepsie won them with par-eagle-par, lacing two brilliant shots on the 466-yard 30th and sinking a 16-foot putter for the long eagle of the match.

Turnesa put out Billows' game by taking the next hole, a short par two yarn and a birdie to regain his previous margin.

He then played the 34th and 36th in steady pars for halves to clinch the victory.

For Turnesa, the triumph came ten years almost to the day after he defeated Pat Abbott, 6 and 5, for the United States crown at Beverwyck Country Club in Albany, N.Y.

Calgary Team Enters Final

CALGARY, Sept. 4 (CP)—Calgary Alexandras today edged Saskatoon Ramblers 6-5 in the second game of the best-of-three Western Canadian women's baseball semi-finals.

Coupled with their 6-2 victory Friday, the decision sent Calgary westward to meet Vancouver in the finals there Monday.

Ramblers, last year's champions, went down as well in the third game, a 7-3 decision, played today.

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Box Scores

FIRST GAME

SASKATOON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mundy, rf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Sawchuk, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Pelletier, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Dennis, 1b	4	1	1	8	0	0
Hackett, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Ellis, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Thompson, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Marshall, c	4	0	0	0	1	0
Total	34	3	6	24	11	1

VANCOUVER—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Naples, 2b	4	0	2	3	2	0
Lewis, cf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Pulsifer, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Wilson, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Levine, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Reds, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Boniak, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Ferguson, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Hamilton, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Lewis, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	0	4	27	8	0

	R	H	E
Vancouver	000 000 000—	0	4	0
Saskatoon	000 000 00x—	0	3	0

*Passed Ellis in 8th inning.

Score by innings:

	R	H	E
Vancouver	000 010 000—	1	4	0
Saskatoon	000 010 000—	1	3	0

SUMMARY

Losing pitcher: Blankenship. Earned runs: Saskatoon 3, Vancouver 1. Hits off: Blankenship 3, Lewis 3. Hits off: Blankenship 3 in 7 innings; Lewis 1 in 1 inning. Struck out: Blankenship 3, Lewis 1, Reds 1. Bases on balls off: Blankenship 1, Reds 1. Passed balls: Reds 1. Left on bases: Saskatoon 5, Vancouver 4. Time: 2:00. Umpires: Lee and Shaw. Attendance: 1,500.

SECOND GAME—

SASKATOON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Murphy, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Sawchuk, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Mann, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Dennis, 1b	4	1	1	8	0	0
Hackett, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Ellis, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Richards, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Thompson, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Marshall, c	4	0	0	0	1	0
Total	34	4	3	15	9	0

	R	H	E
Vancouver	000 000 000—	0	7	1
Saskatoon	000 000 00x—	0	3	0

Batteries: Levine and Hamilton; Thompson and Marshall.

SUMMARY

Losing pitcher: Levine. Earned runs: off Levine 3. Hits off: Levine 7 in 8 innings; Thompson 3 in 1 inning. Struck out: Levine 1, Thompson 1. Bases on balls off: Levine 3, Thompson 1. Left on bases: Saskatoon 3, Vancouver 7. Passed ball: Hamilton. Time: 2:00. Umpires: Lee and Shaw. Attendance: 1,500.

Back to Reality

Canada's performance at the Olympic Games caused a lot of disappointment, a lot more sibilling and considerable head-shaking over the athletic decline of Canadian youth.

Measured by our lack of success at the Olympics, it would seem that Canadians are not as athletically proficient as most other countries. This is certainly true in a relative sense, although it is true that they did not measure up in the events at the Games. That they did not is purely a matter of personal choice in participant sport.

In Canada, track and field is only a minor sport with little spectator appeal and consequently holds little interest for most Canadians in the matter of glory or financial considerations—the two important factors in this commercialized and publicity-wise age. The same holds true for swimming and other amateur sport.

And there is another important point. In European countries particularly, there is the terrific sense of national pride which makes a champion bicycle rider or marathoner a national figure with amazing popularity. Whether it is a reflection of the complex or not, Canadians tend to minimize the accomplishments of their countrymen and a swimming or track champion is accorded only localized notice. Tom Ray, Bob Hogarth, Joe Gilmore, Jack Kramers and Joe Louises get the attention. It was probably this fact more than anything else which was responsible for the very evident lack of morale on the Canadian team—a lack of morale, incidentally, which does not condone the actions or statements of some of the athletes.

However, Canada is still king in her national sports, hockey and lacrosse, and the fellows who spend their time chasing a puck or wielding a gutted stick compare with any athletes anywhere. That we do not compare with other countries in their national sports is no disgrace. If Canadians were given the facilities and the incentive to turn their athletic talent on a national scale to another field of athletic endeavor, there is no doubt but that they would rate at or near the top.

Random Harvest

Arnold Ferguson, who has been playing brilliant lacrosse all season for Nanaimo without much publicity, just failed to win the award as the most valuable player in the Vancouver Island City League, losing out by the closest of margins to Ian Blackbrand. . . . A. G. Hill, Jr., an alert Victoria sports fan, sent us this from Collier's for his story of the collision between Eddie Murphy and Lyle Palmer, the Bremerton outfielders who were knocked out when they met while attempting to catch a fly ball in an earlier series here. It was published in Collier's Sports Odds, with the eddity being the fact that Murphy was related to have retired possession of the ball . . . Bremerton Bluejacket Baseball Club will change hands within a few days . . . With Porky Andrews expected back at the end of the month and the possibility he may regain his amateur standing, Victoria basketball clubs are all hoping to sign the former Hornet, Domino and Greenlies star as coach, player or both . . . Latest hoop report state that Pro Pats, Alcos, R.V.'s and Eagles will enter the senior "A" loop. The latter club will likely include most of last season's players with the Y.M.C.A. who also lost most of the good local intermediate "A" club of last season. . . . It is also reported that Stanley McLean, hustling third baseman of Vancouver Nelrews, will become a Victoria resident soon. This is certain to cause quite a scramble among softball clubs. In the meantime, Bay Barons probably will be interested in McLean for possible use with Victoria Unified.

GUESSING DEPARTMENT: Jokers over Nanaimo in tomorrow's play-off lacrosse, and the A's to knock Bremerton off twice, on Tuesday, the A's again. Batting average to date: A's hit 276, hits 384, percentage .700.

A's Keep Indians In Pennant Battle

Split With Jackets as Spokane Closes—Owens Cops Nightcap; Blankenship K.O.'d

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
Bremerton	99	51	.660
Blankets	90	60	.600
VICTORIA	89	61	.593
Spokane	87	63	.580
Salem	83	67	.553
Yakima	67	83	.447
Wenatchee	61	89	.407
Tacoma	57	93	.380

GAME TEAM AGO TODAY

	W	L	Pct.
Vancouver	85	44	.659
Calgary	81	48	.628
Saskatoon	80	49	.620
Regina	71	58	.550
Edmonton	67	62	.519
Winnipeg	57	72	.442
Victoria	47	82	.364
Brandon	37	92	.287

Cooled off by a 16-hit Bremerton attack in the afternoon game, Victoria Athletics rebounded behind the effective hurling of Del Greenwood to trim the Blue Jackets, 6-1, in the nightcap and remain five and a half games behind the league leaders in the W.I.L. pennant race.

Played before a combined attendance of over 3,000 that raised the season mark to 122,013, surpassing last year's total, the split results from the two games gave the Athletics place Spokane Indians to one game.

The Indians scored their seventh straight triumph over Wenatchee, 10-7.

After spotting the tars to a one run lead on a walk, Reiders chance hit of Mandeville and triple in the top of the second in the nightcap, the Bremerton team came back to take the count in their half of the inning on Babe Jensen's single and the first of two hard doubles by Sal Recca.

Floyd Hittle and Owens then hooked up in a classic pitching duel until the A's broke up the game in the sixth. A double by Owens and singles by Archie Wilson, Jensen, Lou Kolinek, Charlie Ballard and Vic Buccella were spaced around three errors by the Bremerton outfield to give the A's five runs and drive Hittle from the mound.

WALSETH SHIFT

A feature of the game was the Williams shift the team pulled on Russ Walseth in the eighth. Ragni, Sansoff and Maul were ranged along the right-field line with centre-fielder Eddie Murphy in right and shortstop Lyle Palmer in right centre. Shortstop Ed Arnreich was in the normal second baseman's position and third baseman Don Stanford moved over to shortstop. Hitter fouled a ball down the left field line. Walseth fired to Ragni on the first-base line.

Joe Blankenship, Bill Harmsen and Frank Logue were unable to stop the Bremerton attack. Wilson included home runs by Salmoff and Fobbs, both in the second game.

The Bremertons scored three runs in the fourth on singles by Palmer and Walseth, Reeves's double and Wilson's 38th triple. They added a single run in Burcsa's single and Palmer's double in the fifth and got their final run in the ninth on Balasa's tenth homer.

Blankenship's defeat was his tenth of the season against 12 victories, while Greenwood's mark was his 16th in 26 decisions.

The teams continue their crucial series with two games tomorrow at 2.30 pm and 8 p.m. Bob Pyzaez (14-10) from Wenatchee will hurl for the Tars Manager Ted Norbert was reluctant to name the starting pitcher for the afternoon game, but stated Joe Blankenship would come back into the game tonight.

Wenatchee	000	002	000—	2	6	1
Spokane	100	000	11x—	3	10	1

Batteries—Conover, Sisemore (8), Crosby (10) and Sullivan; Pyzaez, Hittle (6) and Rosser, Stanley (8).

Tacoma	000	000	000—	0	4	0
Vancouver	100	000	000—	1	7	0

Batteries—Ripp and Sheridan; Bonham and Brown.

Second game									
Tacoma	000	100	000—	1	5	0
Vancouver	000	000	000—	0	3	0

Batteries—Sheeron, Clay (6); Hargrove and Sanders, Sheridan (6) and Brown.

Yakima	000	000	000—	0	4	0
Salem	000	000	000—	0	3	0

Batteries—Palmer, McNally (1), Olsen (8) and Sarver; Bolling and Crawford.

Argonauts Top Alouettes 20-7 In First Game

TORONTO, Sept. 4 (CP)—Toronto Argonauts opened this Big Four football season today with a 20-7 victory over Montreal Alouettes in second loss for the Montrealers in as many starts.

A crowd of more than 16,000 sat in a hot sun to see the Canadian Champions score two touchdowns to Montreal 7-6 at the end of the first half, but Argos came back with two converted touchdowns and two singles for the staggle.

Big Joe Krol, kicking and passing beautifully, kicked a pair of conversions and two singles. Ken Whitlock, Argos first United States import in four seasons, scored the other point.

Virgil Wagner, Montreal halfback, took a forward pass from Angus Cooper for Alouettes' only touchdown, in the second quarter.

Frankie Dunlap came back short after to plunge for Argos' first major. Steve Levantis pounced on a loose ball behind the Montreal goal-line after a blocked kick in the third quarter and Krol then plunged for the other Argo third-down touchdown.

OTTAWA, Sept. 4 (CP)—Ottawa Rugbymen remained undefeated in the Interprovincial Rugby Football Union today when they shaded up their second victory by defeating Hamilton Wildcats 30-5.

—Colonist Photo.

GORDON CARKEY

Youthful Victoria baseball fan who returned to city yesterday with Victoria Athletics after spending whole week with Bremerton club. Gordon won trip after placing first in wonder-face competition and reports thrilling trip but is little disappointed at proximity of school days again. As expected, he is a rabid fan of A's their ever. He got good impression of Victoria club during seeing movie every day while away.

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Burrards Capture Opening Game Of Boxla Series

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 4 (CP)—The boating Vancouver Burrards last night edged the Victoria Athletics, Canadian champions, 10-9 in the first game of a best-of-seven final series for the senior lacrosse league championship.

The second game will be played in Vancouver, Wednesday.

Both clubs made tonight's game one of the fastest and roughest tilts of the season and Referees Harry Gilmour and Ed Greenwood called only three offsides.

Archie Wilson Sets Three W.I.L. Records

Archie Wilson's long triple to the left-field corner in yesterday afternoon's game against Bremerton Bluejackets broke three W.I.L. records. It was Wilson's 38th triple of the season breaking his own mark of 34. It ran his total base production for the season to 380 which also breaks his own record, achieved a week or so ago when he created Bremerton's mark of 378 total bases, established in 1940, and it was Wilson's 38th hit which smashed the old league mark of 256, also set by Jolley in 1940 from now on, every time the Victoria centerfielder gets another hit, he will set new mark for hits and for total bases, and every triple will also set a new mark. Wilson now needs two more triples to equal the mark of 34, set by Oscar (Red) Miller of Yakima in 1937.

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O'Neal Sports Emporium, Fort St.

Cup Softball Games Slated This Week

Softball knockout cup games slated this week follow:

Tuesday — Calvert Cup, Douglas Tire, senior "A", vs. Black and White.

Thursday—Calvert Cup, Langford senior "A" vs. Black and White.

Friday — Colonist Cup, Douglas Tire senior "A" vs. Brentwood Acres.

All games will be played at Central Park, starting at 6.30 p.m.

Braves' Lead Increased As Giants Blank Brooks

The Boston Braves now sport a two-game lead over their closest rivals, the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Splitting a double-header with the Phillies, the Braves lost the opener, 4-6, and then won, 8-1, behind Vernon Bickford's effective nightcap pitching.

Lou Dorochar's New York Giants continued to be a stumbling block to the pennant plans of the Dodgers when they turned back their interborough rivals for the third straight time today, 8-0. The defeat was Brooklyn's sixth in its last seven games.

Sheldon Jones, aided by some brilliant relief pitching on the part of Letty Dave Koslo, gained credit for the shutout. It was his 16th victory of the season, his fourth against Brooklyn.

At Cincinnati, Ken Raffensberger pitched five-hit ball today as the Reds defeated the St. Louis Cardinals 6-1 in the opener of a two-game set. Two singles and a double off Harry Brecheen in the eighth inning produced the winning tallies.

In the American League, Hal Newhouser gained his sixteenth victory as he pitched the Detroit Tigers to a 4-3 decision over the Chicago White Sox today.

The Boston Red Sox made three of their eight hits, a walk and two Philadelphia mistakes count for three runs in the eighth inning today as they whipped the Athletics 8-6 and retained their leadership of the American League.

Yogi Berra came through twice with the bases loaded, driving in four runs, as the New York Yankees notched their seventh straight victory today, 9-1, over Washington, to remain a half game behind the leading Boston Red Sox.

Pitcher Ned Garver won his own game with a 10th-inning single.

Victory Gift Easily Cops $5,000 Derby

WINNIPEG, Sept. 4 (CP)—Victory Gift, owned by C. O. (Scotty) Kennedy of Winnipeg, today won the $5,000 added Canadian Derby by 1½ lengths over K. J. Speers' Lord Fairmond. Antonius, owned by E. Albertson, was third in the seven-horse field.

The three-year-old bay fully broke on top from the gate and led throughout the 1¼-mile route. Her time is 2:07 4-5 was four-fifths of a second off the track record established last year by Sir Berrill. The victory was worth $5,145 to the Winnipeg filly and boosted her total winnings to approximately $14,000.

Ghoudry, owned by Dr L. M Appleby of Vancouver was fourth by a head over Marbend, who ran as an entry with Antonius. The B C horses regarded by many as a strong threat, was never in contention.

O.C. Players Lose In Toronto Tennis

TORONTO, Sept. 4 (CP)—Blain Fiddes of Montreal advanced in the women's singles finals in the Toronto Cricket Club invitation tennis tournament today. She defeated England's Betty Hillyer, 6-4, 6-4.

In the men's singles semi-finals, Gardnar Mulloy of Charlottesville, Virginia, outlasted Tony Mottram, British Davis Cup star, 6-4, 1-6 6-2.

Dodgers Recall Taylor

BROOKLYN, Sept. 4 (AP)—Brooklyn Dodgers today recalled Pitcher Harry Taylor from St. Paul of the American Association.

Taylor, a right-hander, opened the season with the Dodgers but was sent to St. Paul several weeks ago after he developed a sore arm.

He only won one game as a Dodger this year while losing four. He has last appearance for St. Paul he pitched a four-hit shutout against Milwaukee.

Totem Tourney Attracts Six Ex-Champions

JASPER, Alta., Sept. 4 (CP)—At least six former champions will try to repeat their victories in the 18th Totem Pole Golf Tournament, starting Monday morning but Defending Champion Bing Crosby won't be on hand.

While Bing will be busy with motion picture work, 1946 Titleholder Cary Raymond heads the men's field, which includes Jack Starky of Edmonton, 1938 and 1936 winner; J. Leslie Bell of Victoria, who won the title in 1931, and Gordon Taylor of Victoria, 1937 runner-up.

The ladies' field includes Defending Champion Mrs J. R. Todd of Victoria; Mrs. D. C. Field of Victoria, winner in 1937, and Mrs George Sleer of Edmonton, 1936 champion.

The field of 180 includes 33 contestants with handicaps of less than 10. The qualifying round starts Monday followed by medal play, ending Friday in the women's tournament and Saturday in the men's.

Dot Kielty Wins

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4 (AP)—Del Kielty of Long Beach won the 46th annual women's Western amateur golf championship today from her Curtis Cup teammate, Polly Riley of Fort Worth, Texas. The California state champion finished the 36-hole final round one up.

Sir Berrill After Longaeres Stakes

SEATTLE, Sept. 4 (CP)—British Columbia's champion four-year-old gelding, Sir Berrill, is one of seven entries for the $18,000 Governor's Handicap to be run at Longacres tomorrow.

Sir Berrill, ridden by Bobby Simmons, is weighted at 111 pounds. The following is the entry list in order of post position:

Mesmi (Robinson), 111
Blue Tiger (Walker), 117.
*Amble In (Richardson), 130.
Sir Berrill (Summers), 111.
Go Bo (Crisler), 106
*Minstrel Boy (Gilbert), 128
*Mrs. I. J. Levine and K. and L. Stable entry.

SIR ACHTOS COPS FEATURE

SEATTLE, Sept. 4 (AP)—Sir Achtos, owned by Drumheller and Lehead of Vancouver, won the feature race at Longacres track today with a time of 1:11.4 for six furlongs.

The payment was $7.60, $3.20 and $2.40

Latest W.I.L. Averages; Wilson 18 Points Ahead

Although he dropped six points during the last week of August, Victoria's Archie Wilson still holds an 18-point lead over Dick Simcox of Salem at the top of the W.I.L. average released by Rose News Bureau yesterday.

The slugging outfielder also retained his lead in four other departments—most runs scored, 118; hits, 218; total bases, 366; and triples, 24. The Athletics retained second place in both the team batting and team fielding.

Leading batting and pitching records through games of August 30 follow

TEAM BATTING

	AB	R	OH	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	SB	Bo	Pct
Tacoma	4511	788	1251	1366	1911	227	34	115	514	1000	111	65	.303
Victoria	4700	788	1248	1366	1929	240	24	112	514	1000	109	65	.291
Oakland	4613	634	1230	1321	1780	208	17	54	521	1147	216	1000	.291
Salem	4633	611	1215	1304	1738	208	20	49	521	1147	216	1000	.281
Seattle	4589	754	1210	1310	1864	250	30	80	501	1175	184	1000	.285
Sacramento	4577	664	1210	1294	1750	204	30	50	501	1175	184	1000	.283
Portland	4600	618	1215	1270	1711	204	30	50	501	1175	184	1000	.276
Wenatchee	4621	743	1208	1261	1843	211	30	91	500	1100	188	1000	.263

TEAM FIELDING

	GP	TP	PO	PCT	A	E	Pct
Salem	111	9	1000	1000	1000	000	1000
Victoria	100	1	7	1000	1014	117	.857
Oakland	111	1	1000	1000	1000	000	1000
Seattle	111	1	1000	1000	1000	000	1000
Tacoma	111	6	1002	1017	1012	004	.994
Sacramento	111	6	1002	1017	1012	004	.994
Portland	111	8	1000	1020	1028	008	.992
Yakima	111	8	1000	1020	1028	008	.992
Wenatchee	111	26	1000	1000	1000	000	1000

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	BB	SO	Bat	Pct
Mann and Club	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	.250
A. Wilson, Victoria	477	118	218	366	16	24	00	0	0	48	114	224	.457
Simcox, Salem	480	111	218	366	16	24	00	0	0	48	114	224	.454
Walker, Vancouver	390	90	171	240	21	7	00	0	0	48	114	224	.438
Kirkley, Tacoma	487	93	164	241	22	3	9	10	3	64	123	224	.437
Ward, Wenatchee	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	.250
Pellet, Sacramento	394	111	164	224	20	3	1	0	0	48	114	224	.416
Lowe, Tacoma	413	114	164	252	13	13	11	1	7	19	100	115	.397
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Kraftsoff, Wenatchee	361	73	46	132	13	0	0	0	37	32	208	1000	.397
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Yerkes, Portland	394	111	146	224	20	3	1	0	0	48	114	224	.370
W. Wilson, Wenatchee	418	105	154	188	18	0	0	0	7	133	318	1000	.368
Shelly, Bellingham	480	111	154	188	18	0	0	0	7	133	318	1000	.368
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Lee, Tacoma	361	107	127	200	20	4	16	17	19	64	115	1000	.352
B. Tran, Tacoma	370	84	114	181	14	0	9	10	3	64	115	1000	.352
Bonetti, Wenatchee	370	84	114	181	14	0	9	10	3	64	115	1000	.352
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Kaner, Vancouver	551	77	194	218	20	0	4	15	16	96	100	1000	.352
Pellet, Sacramento	394	111	146	224	20	3	1	0	0	48	114	224	.350
J. Fraser, Victoria	480	111	146	224	20	3	1	0	0	48	114	224	.350
Bonetti, Wenatchee	100	79	117	164	14	4	0	7	37	43	100	1000	.350
Bonetti, Wenatchee	319	60	117	164	14	4	0	7	37	43	100	1000	.350
Hegel, Bellingham	488	78	161	181	13	1	0	1	16	66	102	1000	.350
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Martin, Vancouver	390	90	114	163	17	2	3	4	0	54	201	1000	.350
O. Hooker, Vancouver	390	90	114	163	17	2	3	4	0	54	201	1000	.350
Gargle, Wenatchee-Yakima	480	60	114	163	17	2	3	4	0	54	201	1000	.350
Stanford, Bellingham	478	87	159	180	14	0	1	5	1	23	97	1000	.350
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Bonetti, Wenatchee	319	60	114	163	17	2	3	4	0	54	201	1000	.350
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Hampshire, Vancouver-Salem	214	43	81	113	13	0	0	0	1	31	200	1000	.350
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Hodgins, Brokers	391	90	144	181	17	0	1	1	1	31	200	1000	.350
Mangra, Victoria	331	35	84	90	17	0	1	0	0	64	207	1000	.350
Hegel, Bellingham	488	78	161	181	13	1	0	1	16	66	102	1000	.350
Brisa, Wenatchee-Yakima	488	78	161	181	13	1	0	1	16	66	102	1000	.350
Wolnak, Victoria	480	111	146	224	20	3	1	0	0	48	114	224	.350

PITCHERS' RECORDS

	G	W	L	Pct	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HB	WP
Osborn, Thomas-Wenatchee	24	8	2	800	144	147	80	64	48	8	1	1
Bryan, Tacoma	31	16	4	800	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Hilton, Bellingham	31	16	4	800	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Shadowskiy, Victoria	24	21	0	700	150	118	100	80	118	5	4	1
Bryan, Tacoma-Victoria	31	21	4	700	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Bryan, Tacoma	31	21	4	700	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Cassan, Bellingham	28	16	8	674	214	224	84	64	60	7	1	1
F. Fraser, Victoria	28	16	8	667	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Mohaine, Tacoma	27	17	7	667	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Lee, Victoria	31	12	6	600	118	140	100	84	80	12	3	1
J. Fraser, Victoria	28	16	8	667	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Tagger, Spokane	30	11	7	611	180	171	87	61	85	5	3	1
Lee, Victoria-Vancouver	31	12	6	600	118	140	100	84	80	12	3	1
Forbes, Tacoma	31	12	6	600	118	140	100	84	80	12	3	1
Wolfrom, Salem	29	16	11	667	200	213	104	101	116	7	1	1
Wachowski, Spokane	28	16	8	667	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
Rose, Wenatchee	30	11	7	611	180	171	87	61	85	5	3	1
Bryan, Tacoma-Victoria	31	21	4	700	204	197	90	80	64	8	2	1
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Cressman, Tacoma	28	7	6	538	114	140	100	84	80	12	3	1
Kaminski, Victoria	28	7	6	538	114	140	100	84	80	12	3	1
Lee, Victoria-Vancouver	31	12	6	600	118	140	100	84	80	12	3	1
Forbes, Vancouver	30	14	12	538	207	229	134	118	82	6	4	1
Jackson, Bellingham	28	14	12	538	207	229	134	118	82	6	4	1
Cressman, Vancouver	28	14	12	538	144	170	84	67	54	5	2	1

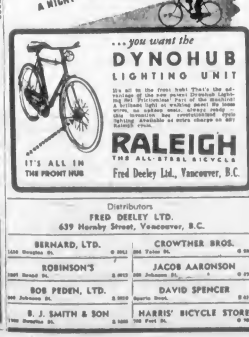
Major Wood Leads First Stage Of Weiler-Regan Trophy Match

Veteran marksman Major W. H. Wood of the Canadian Scottish Regiment earned himself a handy two-point lead over the rest of the field at Heals Ranges yesterday by winning the first stage of the three-stage Weiler-Regan Trophy match with score of 48 out of a possible 100 points. Wood's win, which will give him possession of the first stage silver ash tray, was marked by a fine score of 94 out of 95 which he delivered at the difficult 600-yard range.

Major C. A. Dodds is the runner-up spot for the trophy and is the lead for the Secretary's Minitreu Cup, to be presented to the high tyro in the match. Dodds' score of 99 was made up of a 98 at 200, a 94 at 500 and a 93 at 600 yards.

Scores follow:

	200	500	600	TU
Maj. W. H. Wood	98	94	93	48
Maj. C. A. Dodds	99	94	93	46
Maj. A. M. Ross	97	94	93	46
Maj. A. M. F. Bellair	96	94	93	46
Sgt. A. R. Lake	98	93	93	46
S/Sgt. J. A. Young	97	94	93	46
Capt. J. A. Lyall	96	94	93	46
S/Lt. A. W. Beaumont	96	94	93	46
S/Sgt. Arthur Murray	96	94	93	46
S/Sgt. R. C. Roberts	95	94	93	46
Sgt. Jack Hamilton	95	94	93	46
Sgt. W. G. Davis	95	94	93	46
W. O. Tolman	95	94	93	46
Major Young	95	94	93	46
Sgt. A. Brandham	95	93	93	46
Sgt. Shaun Prince-Brennan	95	93	93	46
Maj. A. B. Shaw	95	94	93	46
Maj. J. G. Cain	95	94	93	46
S/Sgt. R. Dowdale	95	93	93	46
Sgt. J. Ross	95	93	93	46
Sgt. J. Dyer	95	93	93	46
Sgt. C. Rasmussen	95	93	93	46
Sgt. Bill Ross	95	93	93	46
Sgt. Jack W. White	95	93	93	46
L. C. Large	95	93	93	46
J. Pedrovich	95	93	93	46
Fred Gilbert	95	93	93	46
Sgt. Bill Ross	95	93	93	46
Sgt. Jack Hamilton	95	93	93	46
W. A. Large	95	93	93	46



CYCLING CLUB MEETING

The Victoria Cycling Club will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening at 1877 Cold Harbor Road.

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Don Olds Still Too Good; Sweeps Speedway Races

Don Olds of Seattle brought his "three-quarter" car back to the Langford Oval last night and made a clean sweep of the major events. He posted the fastest time, 17.80 seconds, in the time trials and followed up by copping the heinest dash, first heat race and the main event.

The main event was highlighted by a crash through the fence on the north turn by Bert McCabe and a seven-car spin on the ninth lap. Jack Spaulding's car caused the trouble when it broke an oil line and sprayed the hot liquid over the track. The following seven spun one after the other.

Only five cars remained in the race on the restart. Don Olds was in the lead position and held his margin safe to the finish. Digger Caldwell, in second place on the restart, went into two laps later, allowing Bert Simpson to slide into the runner-up slot. Caldwell held on to finish third.

Olds was never headed in the heinest dash and first heat. Simpson and Howie Stanley took second and third place, respectively, in each race.

Caldwell copped the second heat with Spaulding edging Bung King for second-place money. Dave Cooper led King and Cec Warren to the wire in the third heat and McLeod finished on the tail. He posted the fastest time, 17.80 seconds, in the time trials and followed up by copping the heinest dash, first heat race and the main event.

Three trials will begin at 7:30 p.m.

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Portsmouth Takes Lead In O.C. Soccer League

LONDON, Sept. 4 (Reuters). — Portsmouth, the surprise package of the new football season, gave 30,000 fans another thrill today with a 1-0 victory at Stoke City and took over undisputed leadership of the English League's First Division.

The victory left them a point leaders, who had to be satisfied with a 1-1 draw before 45,000 fans at Aston Villa.

Meanwhile, Charlton Athletic whipped Manchester City 2-1 and moved into a tie with Derby for second place Birmingham City, last year's second Division leaders, took over third place in the standings by invading and thrashing Everton 4-0.

Last year's league champions, Arsenal, fielded a new left wing and came up with a fluke 1-1 tie at Sheffield United United diverted the ball in to their own goal in the second half.

Last year's Cup runners-up, Blackpool, gained a 2-2 draw at Sunderland.

Queen's Park Rangers dropped leadership of the Second Division as they lost 3-0 at Southampton which now moves into a three-way tie for top place with Bradford and Bury. Bradford defeated Luton Town 4-1 and Bury took the measure of Fulham 2-0.

Leeds United played host to Coventry City handing them a 4-1 licking to move into second place in the Second Division.

Swindon Town moved to the top of the Third Division Southern with a 1-0 win over Northampton. Town, Swansea Town beat Ipswich Town 2-0 and Brighton and Hove Albion defeated Port Vale 1-0 to take over second and third places, respectively.

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IRISH LEAGUE

CUP

Bangor 4, Coleraine 1
Glenavon 3, Portadown 1
Glentoran 2, Ards 1
Linfield 3, Distillery 2
Glentoran 0, Belfast Celtic 1
Linfield 1, Cliftonville 2

Colonist Selections

FIRST RACE—Away Nevada, Tangier Rapid, Bumblebee.
SECOND RACE—Aegis Maid, Jitterbug, Medicine Hat.
THIRD RACE—Sway Donna, Pount Raison, Rural Parade.
FOURTH RACE—Maison, Gallward, Ladner Lad.
FIFTH RACE—Displayer, Happy Bob, Marble's Lad.
SIXTH RACE — Peaceful Jane, Camotian, Lady O'Werth.
SEVENTH RACE—Gayrabyd, Chalwarth, Naled.
EIGHTH RACE — No Count, Wild Deer, Bird an Wing.

Race Results At Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Sept. 4 (CP)—Polo Park race results:

FIRST RACE—Purse $1,000 allowances, three-year-olds and up six and one-half furlongs:
Bella Alexandria 112 Ed Ho 110 3 2 1
Brassiere (Haller) 3 6 10 2 10
Time 1:21 4-5.

SECOND RACE—Purse $1,000 claiming three-year-olds and up six and one-half furlongs:
Sunspange (Schmeisel) $10 20 14 10 4.80
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Snuffy Gets Huffy

—Central Press Ceradine

Riled up on play during game in Philadelphia, Snuffy Stirnweiss, Yanks' second sacker, was about to push player around when umpire mixed it as shown.

FIFTH RACE—The Lakey Dee Handicap; purse $1,200; maiden three-year-olds and up; one mile:
Ruffed Grouse 114 Sailing 106
Lad Lane 114 Gallivan 106
Pirate Blanket 112 Sky's Good 2 111
Kara Ann 112 Lady Lady 111
Pay Day 112
Lt. Williams entry
Lt. Jackson entry

SIXTH RACE—The United Studios; purse $1,800; allowance; three-year-olds and up; one mile and seventy yards:
Pinnacle 118 Sunflower 118
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Kelly M 118 Miss Finch 118
Jimmy's Boy 118 Ruffed Grouse 118
Pepper Pot 118 Dark Forest 118
Alec Stable
Buddy Boy 118 Duffy Drag 118
Cimarita 118 Red 4 118
Jiving J. J. 118 Good Counselor 118
Star Lane 118 Sandbank 118

SEVENTH RACE—The Beaver Plaque; purse $1,800; three-year-olds and up; one mile and seventy yards:
Dr. Paul 118 Cavalcade II 118
Wendy's Number 118 Mystic Moor 118
Ariel 118 Wild Mustard 118
Arabesque *108 Great Leader 118
Tal Brown *108 Sailin 118
Smith Jewel 118 Fast Storm 118
Famous Plan 118 Bobby Clark 118
Ace 118 Mr. Gallant 118
Mark Ch 118 Mint Sportsman 118
Wilshanlaw 118 Dixie or Sterling 118
Lane Raven 118 Mr. Gallant 118
Bonnie 118
Lt. Jackson entry (a short will be used as a substitute if necessary)
Post time, 3:30 p.m.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Boston	79	48	.622
New York	79	49	.617
Cleveland	77	49	.611
Philadelphia	67	57	.540
Detroit	61	63	.492
St. Louis	60	66	.476
Washington	49	76	.392
Chicago	45	80	.360

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Boston	81	47	.633
Brooklyn	77	49	.611
St. Louis	73	53	.579
St. Louis	68	58	.540
Pittsburgh	67	59	.532
New York	63	63	.500
Philadelphia	56	71	.441
Cincinnati	54	73	.425
Chicago	34	93	.268

COAST LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	95	60	.588
Oakland	91	64	.587
Los Angeles	90	65	.581
Seattle	87	68	.561
Portland	78	77	.503
San Diego	76	80	.487
Sacramento	69	86	.445
Hollywood	68	87	.439

Sequence Betters American Record

CHICAGO, Sept. 4 (AP) — Undefeated Sequence, a dark bay two-year-old daughter of the famed Count Fleet, aged to a sensational home triumph in the $53,150 Princess Pat Stakes at Washington Park today.

The flashy little filly owned by Brownell Combs, Lexington, Ky., ran the six furlongs in 1:10, a full second better than Beaufort's record for the stakes, established last year.

It was the fastest time ever recorded in this country at the distance among two-year-olds. For a fully Sequence was clocked in :22 for the quarter, 44.3-5 for the half and used the last quarter in 28-3-5.

LOWESTOFT, England (CP) — Holidaymakers here are protesting the wholesale shooting of seals by fishermen who complain the seals eat too many fish.

Babe's Naturalness Defied Scribes In Writing His Obsequies—Lardner

By JOHN LARDNER

By now the send-off to Babe Ruth has reached a total of more than a million words, and I am working on the assumption that a few hundred more will not hurt him. The Babe was a man of enormous capacities. He did not specialize in reading but to the fullness of his good will. Sadly undertaken to read the elegies that have been written since his death, just to obey the authority of the task had not mercifully been spared him.

Strangely, in dealing with Ruth's kind of greatness—he was great because he kept his popular appeal while obeying his instincts, because he was a public hero who refused to bowdlerize himself—it is hard for writers and historians to be as natural as Ruth was. Just before he died, Hollywood produced a motion picture trimmed called "The Babe Ruth Story," which proved to be one of its most unmitigated stinkers—a chapter of tears on a stifling of a Babe-doodle. It's true that the Babe was a sentimental fellow, when the mood was on him, but never dishonestly so. Most times, until he became ill, he was gay, sportive and an elephant in Springtime, and extremely well pleased with himself and the world.

I hesitate to say he had natural good taste, because he would never have claimed it for himself, but I do not think he would have encouraged James Powers, the tender lyric of The New York Daily News, to celebrate his obsequies as follows:

QUITE AN ODE

"The rarefied air was a pale amethyst. Great banks of white clouds floated on either side of the jewel-encrusted road that led to the big gate arched by a rainbow that stretched millions of light years across the firmament. The big man walked slowly. You could see he was a stranger.

A park of lilac hey angels had come scrooging out of one of the Elysian fields, trailing little spurts of stardust behind them. Their halos were wavy and their white robes soiled with golden dust from much play. Soon you could hear the big man's laughter booming in contrast to shrill cherubic yips and screams of delight."

We will interrupt James at that point, leaving him to trail little spurts of oleomargarine behind him. Even Ruth, with all his vast powers of digestion, had a stomach-ache once in the 1930's from over-indulgence in frankfurters—the late W. O. McGeehan called it "the stomach-ache heard 'round the world"—and I see no sense in allowing Mr. Powers to do it.

Ruth was not sad and pathetic, but he was through them bravely. There is a tendency just now, in speaking of Ruth, to make this period of heroism and physical irony overshadow the long, salty career that came before it. Also, though he did have a close and very logical affinity with children all his life there is a disposition to treat him, in this connection, as a sort of perpetual Kris Kringle or Father Machree. But the fact is that when Ruth sang—and he could sing the loudest of any ballplayer I ever heard, as well as hit the longest ball and set the most spare ribs—he did not sing "Sonny Boy" or Brahms' Lullaby, but things on the order of "How Ya Gonna Keep 'Em Down on the Farm After They've Seen Paree?"

The Babe once played a golf match, for charity and a large audience, with a certain Mysterious Stranger, who was mysterious because he wished to avoid recognition as a man who had an old prohibition rap hanging against him in upstate New York. Some newspapers listed the golf course, and Ruth's game fluctuated on the publicity, he was true from tee to green. Montague shied like a startled mare at every flash bulb. His game cracked wide open. This allergy to notoriety puzzled the Babe all the time. Later he discovered it was very became known and Ruth heard it explained it made him rarely philosophical.

"Thing of it," he said. "If I'd had a jail record when I was playing

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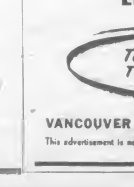

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher

"Sure he hears all right . . . But try asking him for money!"

READING, England (CP).—Young persons of Reading plan to "adopt" the younger generation of Dusseldorf, Germany. They have formed a youth section of Reading-Dusseldorf Association which will set with German youth organizations to introduce pen pals and arrange personal gifts.

LONDON (CP).—A Labor Ministry statement said the number of service personnel released between June, 1945, and June, 1948, was 3,309,500. From the navy there were 767,310 men and 79,770 women, from the army, 2,063,240 men and 229,640 women, and from the R.A.F., 1,014,370 men and 163,050 women.

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A MAN'S WOMAN

By JANE DIXON

CHAPTER XXVII—Continued

"I thought so." Ronnie squared his shoulders, shook himself like a puppy shaking off the rain. But don't look so glum about it, Grace," he said returning to his tone of banter. "He's a grand guy too. He's your aunt, Kay Mc. I'm kind of a rover; have trouble keeping my feet on the ground. So what? So I'm taking dangerously. By the time I get back I'm sure I'll be ready for your Uncle Sam. You know I'm a pretty fair pilot, or do you? Well, I am and I'm going to be a better one. I'm going to be logs on taking those birds through the air. Maybe I'm just as well you gave me the 'no' sign, sister, because ever since I get that notice saying there's a place for me I've been I've been suffering from a bad case of claustrophobia. You know, like I was shut in and had to batter my way out or bust.

"A gal like you wouldn't want to get a wire from her husband in Pernambuco saying he'll be home a year from next Christmas if his wings hold out. Hey, maybe I'll find me one of those senoritas down Rio way, one with rings in her ears and fire in her eye. It's worth looking into."

"Ronnie! You mean you're actually going to be a pilot—you're going to be in the Air Corps?"

"I don't mean nothin' else. And don't tell me you're changing your mind about taking me on as a permanent fixture—remember I haven't with that pretty uniform yet. I'm just one of the birds who's trying to rise it."

Kay laughed, warmly. "I'm so glad for you" she said, "so proud you've the spirit to grow wings."

"Raid it," Ronnie warned. "I'm not Uncle Sam's little bird yet, but I will be—or else. Next to you, give me a plane. And now I think it over up here in this cloud bank we're bumping through, maybe you're second choice."

Ronnie's car met them at the airport. It was a fifty-mile drive from there to Somerset. Ronnie took the wheel. They tore through the night.

"They're expecting you?" Ronnie asked, taking a curve expertly, but stirring again. "I . . . I . . . never was wired. It didn't seem important. The only important thing was to get home—to get to mother."

To Be Continued

ALL SAND & YARD WIDE

I NEEDED SOME SAND to mix with cement, so to the builders supply . . . I gaily went. But as usual, I had little regard. "Oh, send me," I said, "about a yard. I never know when ordering the stuff, so that'll better . . . have enuff. When I get home, they'd dumped it neat, on the shoulder of our street. But I could see quick like a flash, the gals had been there, making pie & mash. Because the pile was all flattened around, & some silver spoons I quickly found.

A TRI-LITE is one of the LOVE-ler wedding gifts . . . see these 3-candle heralds; $12.00 or $21.00 if she's your niece or sumthin'.

SO . . . after dinner, to the G.P. I sed, "I'd better mix that stuff, before it's all used." So out I dashed, shovelled like mad, seem 'twas evident . . . too much I had. In fact all I needed, was a barrow or so, then I wheeled all the rest, to the yard below. Then scrounged around, found some lumber, soon had a sand-box . . . a la Lumber. It's no skinny thing I did fix, even a post in the middle, of my 12 by 8s. But I've wondered since, if I wasn't a sap, 'cause ever since . . . "yappaty . . . yap . . . yap." "Come on Pop . . . build a castle with me. Ah Gosh Dad . . . you're an old mean-se!"

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AND SO I sit observing their wishes, filling with sand . . . old daffy's dishes. Then laying 'am out . . . patterns it takes, I've built over 1000 . . . little cakes. And eaten "pies" and "rockies" galore, on the table we set . . . a big 2 by four. A volcano is really my masterpiece, with smoke belching out . . . the chimney-piece. The 2 clothes runner up, the one with the moat, with running water . . . and a little boat.

REFECTORY STYLE chrome tables have just arrived . . . that's an 8 dollar way of saying the ends pull up and down . . . shown in frost rose, green or blue . . . $59.00.

"U KNOW," sed the G.P., after calling us in, "you TOO . . . I'll have to discipline. It's WAY past their bed-time, after 'em, you've all been 3 hours in that pen. And just LOOKIT our rug, appears 2nd-hand, smeared with clay & chuck full of sand, & I've been wondering as I've watched U play, if it isn't very true . . . what people say. That no matter HOW, a man plays his part, he's just a grown kid . . . in his heart." "WHAT ROT," I replied, "a silly experiment 'twas all Trudie's fault . . . SHE SWIPED MY BEST SAND."

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1 BIRTHS

LYSENKO—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Lysenko (nee Anita Beverly), at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, September 1, a son, Brian Cliff Ely, 6 lbs. 2 ozs. Both doing fine.

PETERSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Peterson, (nee Ruth I. Stokes), on Saturday, September 4, Victoria, Boy. 8 pounds 7 ounces.

TURNER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Turner, on September 1, 1948, a son, Donald Gordon Bell, 8lbs 8ozs.

MARRIAGES

ALDRE—TOY—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Percy Ord Maidstone Aldre announce the marriage of their daughter, Sylvia Ruth, to James Ernest Toy, R.C.M.P., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Toy, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, August 28, Christ Church, Ottawa, Ont.

MILNE—BALL—Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ball, Victoria, B.C., announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Rae Ball, to Leading Aircraftsman Harry Milne, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Milne, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, August 28, Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, Ont.

PINCHIN—GLEDE—At Metropolitan United Church on S.p.m., September 4, 1948, Rev. Dr. Hugh Dobson, assisted by Rev. Dr. Hugh Pincher, Winnipeg, Man., daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Gledé, Victoria, B.C., to Sgt. Pilot Donald Pinchin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pinchin of Tecumseh.

SMITH—COPPET—The marriage is announced of Rev. Jerry Coffey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coffey, to Mr. Jack Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, August 28, 1948, Rev. T. H. Wanless officiating.

STAPLES—LAMONT — The marriage of Doris Lamont, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamont, Victoria, B.C., to Sgt. Robert Staples, son of Mr. and Mrs. Staples, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, August 28, Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, Ont., Rev. Canon Bishop officiating.

WARNER—WARDELL—The marriage took place at Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, August 7, 1948, Rev. Wilkins performing the ceremony.

2 DEATHS

BROWN—On September 1, 1948, in Vancouver, B.C., Henry Drummond Brown, aged 78 years. Formerly of Victoria, B.C., where he was born 70 years ago. Beloved husband of one sister, Mrs. Ethel Brown, Victoria, B.C., and brother of Mrs. Ethel Brown, Victoria, B.C. A.F. Bill Drummond Arnold, Squadron Leader Gordon J. Brown, Victoria, B.C., of Switzerland, Germany, and Corsica and Mrs. Ethel Brown, Victoria, B.C.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later by McCall Brothers, Funeral Directors. Kindly omit flowers, but if desired, donations, please.

FRASER—On September 4, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, John Gordon Fraser, aged 75 years. Beloved husband of Jessie Fraser, and father of Mrs. Ethel Fraser and a resident of Victoria for 46 years. He was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and came to Victoria from Vancouver, Ont. Mrs. E. J. Chambers of Victoria and Mrs. Ethel Fraser of Victoria, B.C. Funeral on Tuesday, September 7, leaving the chapel of McCall Brothers at 2.30 p.m. for Ross Bay Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Hugh Dobson will be song at 2. Interment Victoria, B.C., Cremation. Kindly omit flowers in Saturday's Colonist. Service evening at 8.

HUNTER—On September 4, 1948, at 30 Cecelia Street, Victoria, Ethel Mary Hunter of 1248 Monte Sereno, aged 62 years. Formerly of Victoria, B.C., where she was born 62 years ago. Beloved wife of Ian Hunter, and sister, and daughter, Mrs. Ethel Jones, Victoria, and a brother, Frederick Fraser, of Vancouver, B.C. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Funeral Director, Chapel on Wednesday, September 8, 2.15 p.m. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

"Tomorrow and the Tomorrow, Each passes phrase only."

McFERRON—The funeral of Mrs. Helena May McFerron of 1247 Meadow Avenue will take place from the Chapel of McCall Brothers on Tuesday, September 7, at 2.30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Hugh Dobson will officiate. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. Friends may pay their last respects at the chapel. Kindly omit flowers.

MOULLE—At our Joseph's Hospital on September 3, 1948, Thomas Pomeroy Moulle, aged 78 years. Formerly of Ashford, Kent, and Victoria, B.C. Beloved husband of Sarah A. Moulle, born in Copmanthorpe, England and a native of Yorkshire. Funeral arrangements will be known on Monday, September 6, at 2.30 p.m. Rev. Canon Bishop will officiate. Interment Victoria, B.C. Cremation. Service at Chapel on Monday, September 6, at 2.30 p.m. Rev. Canon Bishop will officiate. Kindly omit flowers.

3 IN MEMORIAM

SUMPSTER—In loving memory of Mr. Geary beloved son, R. T. Alex Sumpster, who passed away September 1, 1945.

Year that and grow old,
Life is the same as ever,
Age shall not weary,
Nor the years condemn.
At the setting of the sun,
And in the morning,
We will remember them.

RAYMOND—In loving memory of Philip Raymond, who passed away September 1, 1945.

Coming events are shadows
Of a united joy and peace
Unto those who have loved him
The Tryst we by death lies grave
Is but a place of rest
Not the end of the long heartache
Will come some day
Not the end of life, but life, we hope, shall be.

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10 COMING EVENTS

AN OLD-TIME DANCE

A BASKET OF FUN SATURDAYS—Dancing to Old Time Music by Victoria Orchestra. P.W. Sc. Club prizes Refreshments.

OLD-TIME DANCE—Saturday, September 11, Oak Bay Recreation Hall, Bingo Hall, Hope Street. Dancing 8 to 12. Admission $.75 for bring.

OLD-TIME DANCE EVERY Wednesday with Rosario Orchestra, Rosario Hall, Fernwood Road.

TO LAND OF DANCE MONDAY Evening, September 6, 8 to 12 p.m. Dancing to Old Time Music by Victoria Mainlanders orchestra, West-Side Community Hall, Lillian Road.

BAY CONFERENCE — DAILY WORSHIP, Tuesday, September 7, 8 to 1 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m. Speaker, Rev. Dr. Hugh Dobson. Be there.

ANNUAL BAZAAR, MONDAY, SEPT. 6, James Bay Community Centre. Best Bargains. Refreshments.

ANNUAL BAZAAR, Tuesday, September 7, Ladies Auxiliary, Victoria Unit Royal Canadian Legion. Tea, Bingo, Dancing. Admission 25c. Dancing 8 to 12. Legion Hall, Belleville at Government.

OLD-TIME DANCE, Oak Bay Recreation Hall, Hope Street. Dancing every Wednesday, Saturday. Bingo every Tuesday and Thursday. Admission 50c. Bingo 25c. Refreshments at 12.00 a.m.

OLD-TIME DANCE, SATURDAY, Fraser Street Hall Stewart's Orchestra, Refreshments. Admission 50c.

SAANICH WEST CLUB WEDNESDAYS Dancing to Old Time Music. Bingo Prizes. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

OLD-TIME DANCE, Saturday, September 11, 10-piece class. Private 8 1944.

DANCING DATE IN THE ROSE GARDEN September 8 at Mahoney's Pavilion Dancing 9 to 1. Free parking. Dancing to Bill Ross' popular orchestra. Admission 75c.

SOUTH SAANICH ANNUAL BAZAAR — Dec. dance to the Beachcomber Aircraft Band, Saanichton Community Hall, Wed. Sept. 8. Admission 50c. Refreshments and the Air Bazaar.

SOUTH SAANICH FUNERAL ASSOCIATION Is a big Labor Day dance in B. of P. Hall, Saanichton, Monday, Sept. 6. Dancing to Old Time Music. Free parking. Admission 50c.

DANCE TO OLD TIME WALTZ, SOLO MOTION OLDS Sam Jones in Broad Street Auditorium, Saanichton Community Hall. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

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5:00 News	News	Mary Blair	Fred Waring Show	Breakfast Club	Chuck Wagon Jubilee	News	News and Weather
5:15 Music of Waltz	Breakfast Club	Jack Smith	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Cowboy Valley Parade	Bill Stevens	Bill Stevens
5:30 Music of Waltz	Breakfast Club	Orchid Glam	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	News	Bill Stevens	Bill Stevens
5:45 Music of Waltz	Breakfast Club	Breakfast	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
6:00 News	B.B.C. News	Wendy Warren	Wendy Warren	Bob Bunting	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
6:15 Sing Parade	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
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6:45 Johnny Home	Melody Manor	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
7:00 Do Do	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
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9:00 Tony Aaron	Famous Talent	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
9:15 Tony Aaron	Famous Talent	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
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KPTZ—690 kc.

6:00 News
6:05 Music of Wales
6:15 Bob Crosby
6:30 Sports Review
6:45 Sid Parade
7:00 Lum & Abner
7:15 Jim Snyder
7:30 Sky for One
7:45 Sky Blues
8:00 Bill Harrington
8:15 Sports Review
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Art Exhibit Proceeds Go to College Fund

Pictured above is water-color painting by Robert Taylor, noted Sooke artist. Exhibition of his paintings will be opened by H. Cuthbert Holmes at the Hudson's Bay Company store Monday, September 13, at 7 p.m. Proceeds from exhibit will go to Brentwood College rebuilding fund. Exhibit will end September 17. Robert Taylor has exhibited both in Eastern and Western Canada with considerable success. On Wes. Coast, C.P. Steamship Princess Kathleen features many of his water-colors in staterooms and lounges.

Network to Outline Hopes, Accomplishments of U.N.

This Week's Radio

"To dramatize the "plus side" of the world, will be quizzed. Ruth Roman, found by a contestant, the United Nations is arriving over three turbulent years, its accomplishments, its outlook for a hopeful future—the National Broadcasting Company, in co-operation with the American Association for the United Nations Week from October 17 to 24, it was announced last week.

This will be the third successive year N.B.C. has spotlighted the world organization with a week-long observance. This year the project has been timed to close with a United Nations Day to be proclaimed by President Truman October 24.

Highlight of the week will be an extensive schedule of coast-to-coast broadcasts from the U.S and abroad, pointing up the record and aspirations of the United Nations and emphasizing the individual's responsibility for its success.

It is expected that many governors and mayors will issue proclamations calling upon cities and towns to take activities at the community level. The National Education Association is co-operating with N.B.C. on plan to beam a broadcast from the U.N. General Assembly in Paris into the country's secondary schools and junior colleges.

talent, soon in a Hollywood department store, and who won a screen test, will report on the program of her movie career. Last, Mrs. Ward George who won a trip to Hollywood, a job for her husband, a car, and also a Birthright. "Hope Are Funny" is being heard this year Tuesday nights.

Songs by Irving Berlin, including "A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody," "Say It With Music," "Blue Skies," and "I'm Getting So Tired I Can Sleep" will open up the opening medley on the "American Album of Familiar Music," featuring tenor Donald Dame and soprano Margaret Daum, today.

Dame will also sing "Can't You Hear Me Calling Caroline" and with Miss Daum, "Under the Stars."

Coloratura Soprano Jean Dickenson has chosen "El Matrimio" while Evelyn MacGregor, contralto, will offer "Might Like a Rose."

Canada's outstanding comedy team, Johnny Wayne and Frank Shuman, return to the Trans-Canada network this week for their third season of the Wayne and Shuster Show. Opening date is Thursday, September 9 at 8:30 p.m. Appearing with the boys will be Samuel Hersenhoorn and an 18-piece orchestra, featuring musical arrangements by Maurice Dobson and announcer Herb May.

Logger Broke Despite Cheque

The situation of being in a strange town with a sizable pay cheque and no personal identification papers was experienced at an Island logger recently, city detectives said yesterday.

He had gone to Det. Sgt. Henry Jarvis and asked if the sergeant would certify the cheque as being good. He said he needed the money badly.

cheque, but he noticed that it here and started to roll downhill. She the name of a logging company with started after it slipped and Tell, offices in Victoria.

The logger was told how to reach it did any damage.

She was taken to Royal Jubilee the offices.

INJURES KNEE

A chase after her runaway car resulted in a knee injury to Mrs. H. Maurer, Piedmont Avenue, Friday afternoon near the Royal Oak Municipal Hall.

Mrs. Maurer had just left the vehicle when it slipped its brakes and started to roll downhill. She got up and finally stopped it before it

Hospital by Constable David Shephard and Sergeants Eric Elwell and Jack Hamilton.

HARDCASTLE, Yorkshire, England (CP)—Hardcastle Crags, a 260-acre Yorkshire-Lancashire border beauty spot, has been given to the nation by Lord Savile.

Community Chest Dollars at Work

Make people self-supporting if possible. Get them away from relief, the danger of relief, and onto a self-sustaining basis.

This is one of the basic beliefs of the St. Vincent de Paul Society and its Women's Auxiliary in Greater Victoria. An illustration of this self-help encouragement principle lies in the case of Mrs A, a crippled woman who couldn't get about and of whose condition the auxiliary learned. It was found that she was adept at sewing, embroidery work and knitting, pursuits the society, out of its limited funds, provided her with a telephone. This gave her a link with prospective customers, and she has been assured thereby to build up a self-sustaining enterprise in her own home.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society has a tradition for service and helpfulness running back to the 19th century, when it was instituted by a French churchman who was distressed by the poverty and suffering he beheld around him. It has been functioning in Victoria since 1861, its first president being Detective Harry O'Leary, of the city police. It is another agency assisted by the Greater Victoria Community Chest, for which there will be another appeal for funds in October.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society is a Roman Catholic organization, of which auxiliary workers it does not confine its activities entirely to Roman Catholics. A while ago the society's Victoria auxiliary, of which Mrs J. J. O'Brien is president, helped out a Chinese woman who needed a new set of teeth. The auxiliary contributed $30.00 towards this unquestioned necessity.

Holding families together, prevention of juvenile delinquency and crime, as well as charity in its commonly accepted sense, are noteworthy activities of the St. Vincent de Paul organizations.

We feel, said Mrs. O'Brien, "that preventive work is infinitely cheaper in the long run to the whole community than poverty and crime and their staggering cost. It is cheaper in dollars saved, and in lives saved from peril. I am a great believer in prevention as against wrong occurrence. We are ardent believers in the Community Chest, and in the hearty co-operation spirit it typifies."

The Community Chest dollar is busy the year round—busy and helpful every moment of every day. Greater Victoria Community Chest.

Familiar 'Three R's' Only Beginning For Teachers and Pupils in Victoria

BY BRUCE BYRNES

The traditional three R's are only the beginning of what Victoria children will learn when they go back to school on Tuesday.

Oldsters grumble that education isn't what it used to be—and they're right. Teachers today, graduates of British Columbia Normal Schools teach them a great deal more than the basic fundamentals their grandfathers were taught. 50 years ago and they do it in such a way that the children appreciate its value.

They're not using the exaggerated methods of some "progressive" schools south of the border, emphasizes H. O. English, principal of Victoria's Normal School, but neither are they using the "spare the rod and spoil the child" tactics of half a century ago. Their methods are modern but practical.

"Our teacher today teaches psychologically rather than logically," Mr. English points out. "Instead of forcing facts down the children's throats, he tries to show them how they will benefit so that they will want to learn and will appreciate their knowledge."

The rod is still part of classroom equipment but seldom has to be used.

ALL-ROUND EDUCATION

Besides "readin', ritin' and rithmetic" the teacher tells the children about art, drama, music, gardening and many other subjects that help him make a success of life. The aim of the school system is to give to boys and girls an all-round education rather than mere knowledge.

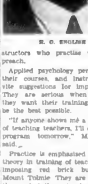
The modern teacher who treats his pupils as human beings and tries to make his classroom a model of sensible democracy is a far cry from the stern-authoritarian who stood at the front of the room, rod in hand when grandfather was in knee pants.

The best teacher, by modern standards, is not necessarily the one who got the highest marks when he was a student. He must know the subject he is teaching, but he should also be able to interpret both the subject and its significance to his pupils. If he is successful, his pupils will do their work willingly because they see that it will make life more pleasant for them, both now and later.

One of the teacher's most difficult jobs is to get the same co-operation and enthusiasm from the precocious lad in the front row who had read and all about Christopher Columbus before he heard it in class, and from the freckle-faced youngster in the back row who would rather play ball than read books and who had never heard of the famous voyage of 1492.

PRACTICAL LESSON

Before they start teaching at all they get a practical lesson in how it should be done when they attend Normal School. There they learn about the problems they will encounter as well as the subjects they will teach, and learn it from instructors who practise what they preach.



H. O. ENGLISH

Applied psychology permeates all their courses, and instructors invite suggestions for improvements. They are serious when they say they want their training course to be the best possible.

"If anyone shows me a better way of teaching teachers, I'll change our program tomorrow," Mr. English said.

Practice is emphasized more than theory in training of teachers in the imposing red brick building on Belleville Street. They are taught the theory, but they also learn how to apply their book-learning.

For two days after they start classes on September 13 they will spend all their school time listening to instructors. Then demonstrations will begin, and by late Autumn they will find what it is like to be at the front of the room themselves. During their Normal School term they had in the front row who had read spend a total of two months teaching in elementary schools in the city and the rural district nearby, through co-operation of school boards.

MUST DEVELOP

At the time Mr. English and his staff are impressing on them that they must help develop children as well as teach them the three R's.

"It is their job to direct the children's activities to channels where they will develop normally, physically, normally and aesthetically," Mr. English believes.

To fit them to do this, the prospective teachers supplement their book knowledge by taking part in plays, joining the glee club, and in many ways putting into practice all the subjects they later will teach.

They even, under guidance of Mr. English, learn about gardening "so that they can show children how to use scientific knowledge of agriculture and show them that gardening need not be a drudgery."

Their course includes surveys of the subjects they will teach and courses in teaching technique, school administration and educational psychology.

When they graduate they have a knowledge and curiosity about many things and are on the way to becoming community leaders.

COURSE NOT ENOUGH

But a mere Normal School course comprehensive though it is does not make them qualified teachers before the Education Department considers them worthy of a permanent certificate to teach the youth of the province, they must spend a minimum of two years teaching and learning after they leave Normal School.

They must have at least one year

On the first program of the season, Art Linguetter will bring back to the "People Are Funny" microphone, three former contestants who were big winners last year and question them as to what they've done since they appeared on the show.

Miss Elsie Davis, the school teacher from Texas who won a trip around of university training, or its equivalent; they must have beyond these two years of successful teaching, and they must have attended the department's Summer School for two sessions. Only then can they get recognition as qualified permanent teachers.

These high standards are considered necessary for a teacher properly to teach, and guide his pupils by the difficult but effective modern methods.

Mr English does not criticize or ridicule the oldsters who long for the days of the three R's and the hickory rod, and who snort at the "pale-faced products of today."

"They're in good company," he says with a smile, and quotes a comment on children of another era.

"They have bad manners, contempt for authority. They show disrespect for elders, and have chaiter in place of exercise. Children are now tyrants. They contradict their parents, chatter before company, gobble up dainties at the table, crossing their legs and tyrannize over their teachers."

It was written by Socrates more than 2,000 years ago.

BURST BLOOD VESSEL

Enrico Caruso, the famous Italian tenor, died from a blood vessel in his throat while singing in 1920, and died from entailing complications at Naples the next year.

Anthropologist Of Washington To Speak Here

Professor Melvin Jacobs, University of Washington anthropologist, will speak in Victoria on October 18.

Prof. Robert T. Wallace, president of the University Extension Association, announced yesterday.

It will be the first time the association has brought a speaker from University of Washington. Prof. Wallace said. For the past several years all speakers at extension lectures have been from University of British Columbia.

Professor Jacobs is the outstanding anthropologist on the Pacific Coast," Prof. Wallace said. "We are very pleased that he accepted our invitation."

Prof. Jacob's lecture will be the second in the series planned by the association for every second Monday in the Autumn and Winter. His topic will be some aspect of "Race and Inter-Racial Relations."

First speaker in the series, to be held in the auditorium of Victoria College, will be Dr. James S. Clairmont, head of the Slavonic Languages department of University of British Columbia, whose topic on October 4 will be "Present Soviet Policy in Europe."

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Trade Conditions Topic Of Meeting With Eyres

Trade conditions was the main topic discussed yesterday by Hon. Leslie M. Eyres, Minister of Trade and Industry, and Max Palmer, Canadian Government Trade Commissioner, Kingston, Jamaica.

In common with other sterling areas, the British West Indies is in a difficult position with regard the dollar shortage, Mr. Eyres said after the meeting.

He said import licences for Canadian goods are being issued for essential foods, building materials and drugs that cannot be obtained from sterling countries.

The situation may be relieved to a certain extent by the proposed institution of a quota import system. Principal imports are cotton piece goods, flour, motor cars, fish, lumber, paper and hardware, while leading exports are rum, bananas and cigars.

On Sir Patrick Ashley Cooper, Governor of the Museum's Bay Company, London, England, paid a return visit to Mr. Eyres.

Sir Patrick was host to the United Kingdom Bacon Company at a dinner at the Empress Hotel followed by an inspection of the fur storage and auction sales facilities in Beaver Hall, the company's sales room in London.

Sir Patrick was enthusiastic about the delegation's activities in the United Kingdom, and the results attained. He complimented the Government on its endeavoring to foster two-way trade with the United Kingdom.

Announcements

James Bay Fish and Chips, 16 Superior Street. Proprietors, Vi and Art Hickford. In response to many requests, we have arranged for delivery of orders by the Ace Delivery Service at a minimum charge according to distance. Hours Monday, 11:30 till 2 p.m. Tuesday to Saturday, 11:30 a.m. till 2 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. till 9 p.m. If you have not been unable to try our products, now's your chance. Phone E 3416. Best quality halibut used exclusively.

Mr. John F. Van Mater, Secretary-General of the headquarters of the Theosophical Society at Covina, Cal., will speak on Friday, September 3, at 8 p.m., at Price Robert House. His subject will be "Theosophy and Self-Directed Evolution." The public is cordially invited to attend. Collection. Mrs. Edith Chessman will preside.

Visiters in Victoria—May we suggest that you drive out the beautiful East Saanich road to Sidney and while there, visit the Pickwick Shop and the Mayflar Shop where you will find many rare and interesting antiques—then to make your afternoon complete, have tea with Devonshire cream or steak or chicken dinner at the Deep Cove Chalet. Open Wednesday afternoons.

The Beethoven Choral Club, Victoria's choir of mixed voices, will begin rehearsals for the season of 1948-49 next Tuesday, September 7, at 8 p.m. in Professor Hoffman's studio, 817 Fort Street. All members are asked to be present, and other ladies and gentlemen with good voices, who wish to join this choir, are invited.

Evening Division, Victoria College. Registrations will be accepted for the university courses from September 7 to September 10, inclusive, between 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. Fees payable at time of registration. Any educational certificates should be presented at that time. For information phone E 6291.

The Y.M.C.A Speakers' Club will hold a preliminary meeting Wednesday, September 8, at 8 p.m. in the board room of the Y.M.C.A. to discuss program of coming year, also installation of new officers. All persons interested in public speaking are cordially invited to attend.

Salvage Collection—The Salvation Army will pick up from your door salvage of all kinds. Used clothing shoes, furniture, poor rugs, household mattresses, carpets, rugs, carpet bribes, newspapers, magazines, rendered fats. When you give it to the Army it is to help others. Phone G 7812.

Salvage Collection for Oak Bay School Bazaar, Upland. We collect rags, papers, household mattresses and all kinds of bottles. Phone E 2412.

Massage, electricity, reducing, colonic irrigation. Adults, children all ages. Stella M. Kelley, 301 Union Bldg., 613 View St., E 6131.

St. John Ambulance First Aid Class will be started on Thursday, September 9, at 8 p.m. Also a course for those wishing to obtain an Industrial First Aid Certificate will begin on September 13. Register with Secretary, 716 View Street. Telephone G 4436.

Old Age Pensioners' Organization, Branch 4, being unable to obtain use of Canadian Legion Hall for their Wednesday afternoon meetings for our new meeting place not completed, our Wednesday meeting is postponed. Watch next week's papers.

The Maple Inn at Maple Bay, six miles from Duncan, Vancouver Island's favorite all-year-round resort. Ideal for vacations, luncheons, dinners. Charming atmosphere, every convenience, steam heated, delicious meals. Telephone Duncan 283 L1.

Mary Ray, English and Continental dress stylist, takes pleasure in announcing the opening of her new Dressmaking Salon at 798 Fort Street. Dresses made from customer's own material to individual style and requirements.

Bold Over! Because of the high standard of the use of the 117 exhibits displayed, the "first week" exhibition at the Art Gallery, 1191's Douglas, will be held over until September 14 Hours, 10-30 to 6 and Saturday evening.

Membership Cards for the Women's Canadian Club will be on sale at Fletcher Bros., 1130 Douglas Street, Tuesday, September 7, 10 a.m.—4 p.m.; Wednesday, September 8, 10 a.m.—1 p.m. Thursday, September 9, 10 a.m.—4 p.m.

A Goodly Throng of literary people, in search of new owners, beg to announce that they may be purchased most reasonably from the Haunted Book Shop, 945 Fort Street. E 1877.

The Shakespearean Society. An organization meeting will be held on September 8 at 8 o'clock at the School of Theatrical Arts, 1218 Broad Street. Those interested please attend.

Singing and Speech Class for boys and girls starts Saturday, September 11. For information phone Doris Bagshawe, E 3648 or E 3634, 524 Broughton.

Sidney Rotary Club annual Labor Day dance in the Saanichton Agricultural Hall, September 6. Dancing 9—1 a.m. Admission, 75c. B Porter and his all stars.

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Will Compete in World Model Championships

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Today will mark opening of two-day Northwest International Model Airplane Championships at Vancouver. Left to right, they are Gordon Mora, James Pritchard, Kenneth Leighton, Douglas Collis, Wilbert Clarke.

As Monday is a Holiday, Woman's Auxiliary Veterans' Hospital meets Tuesday, September 7, at 2 at the hospital. New members are welcome.

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Miss Joyce Murdock, formerly of Margo Beauty Salon, wishes to announce she is now with the Bunker Beauty Salon, 2278 Bowker Avenue. E 6734.

Royal Society of St. George. Opening social meeting for Fall season next Wednesday, September 8, 8 p.m. St. Michael's School, Oak Bay. Public invited.

Liberal Women's Forum will meet in new club rooms, 1225A Government Street at 1.30 p.m. Friday, September 10. Capt. D. O. Proud-foot will be guest speaker.

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Air Show, Saturday, Sept. 18. Patricia Bay Admission free.

L. E. Janes, Chiropodist, will be fishing from September 6 to 20.

Royal Roads Chapter I.O.D.E. rummage sale, City Market, September 11, at 9 a.m.

Pelham H. Richardson, A.L.C.M., C.B.C., teacher of violin. Studio, 1510 Dallas Road. Phone B 3435.

Piano Studio, 1380 Beach Drive, reopens September 7. Phone G 3565.

Mary L. Adamson, L.R.S.M. B.M.T.

Rummage Sale, City Market, Saturday, September 25. Carne Rebekah Lodge.

Princess Lodge Rummage Sale, Wednesday morning, September 8, in Market.

Foot Specialist—Chiropodist. J. R. Beard, D.S.C., 1408 Douglas. G 3725.

Chiropodist—D. S. Caird, D.S.C., 636 Fort Street. B 3732.

Chiropractor—M. J. Cassary, X-ray. Palmer, 303 Central Bldg. B 2742.

LONDON (CP)—Education Minister Tomlinson told the House of Commons in a written reply that 1,840 medical students out of a total of 8,871 at British universities get state awards.

Swimming Program in City Schools Will Be Enlarged in Coming Term

The swimming program in Greater Victoria schools, which aims to give every boy and girl an opportunity to learn to swim, will be enlarged this term.

George Grant, supervisor of physical education for Greater Victoria schools, announced yesterday that instruction for pupils in Grade VIII will be added to the program that has been part of the physical education program for Grade V pupils, and last year was also taught to high school students.

The program is believed to be the only one of its kind in British Columbia.

"Swimming is not on the curriculum as a compulsory subject," said P. F Parker, deputy minister of education. "The departments has not considered making it compulsory because of lack of facilities in some communities."

NOT FEARIBLE

"The drawback made unfeasible a recommendation that swimming instruction be compulsory that was made last month by a coroner's jury after drowning of 17-year-old Raymond Henderson in Prospect Lake," he said

The program in Greater Victoria has helped about 1,400 Grade V boys and girls, ten and 11 years old, in the past two years to learn to swim like the water.

The enlargement this year is aimed at those children who missed instruction because they were in Grade VI when the program for Grade V pupils was started.

For Both Benefit, Mr. Grant is planning a course this Autumn to make instructors of some Grade VIII swimmers, and then will later help teach their classmates.

The same system was used successfully last year in classes for beginners.

"We get quite a few in our Grade V classes who are afraid of the water," Mr. Grant said "Some of them are so frightened that they are sick in the first class.

"But it only takes a few classes for them to get used to the water and overcome their fear, with encouragement from their instructors. Soon they are splashing around and having just as much fun as the others."

TO LIKE WATER

Objects of the program is to teach them to swim and also to like the water so that they will continue swimming on their own, Mr. Grant said

The Grade V classes are not compulsory but are part of the regular physical education program and are attended by almost all children in that grade from the 36 Greater Victoria Schools, according to J. P. R. English, municipal inspector of schools.

Co-operating in the program are the swimming and water safety division of the Red Cross, of which Mrs. Grant is director' Crystal Garden officials, including Instructor Fred Elliott, Pro-Sec Director Bill Kester, and B.C. Electric and Vancouver Island bus officials

Buses take the children from the schools to Crystal Garden and back during their regular physical education classes

The children are organized in 12 each, and each group takes instruction once a week for eight weeks, starting in March

At the pool each group is split into three sections, one for beginners, another for "paddlers," and a third for advanced swimmers. Mr. Grant, Mr. Kester, Mr. Elliott and their teachers instruct them in swimming and diving

HURT IN STOVE BLAST

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (Sept. 4 (AP)—Donald Bowser, 27, and his wife were blown out of their house late last night by an explosion attributed to a defective stove They suffered second degree burns and were in "fair" condition today at a Syracuse hospital The blast splintered the front wall of their two-story home.

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From Colonist Correspondents

Fair at Saanichton 80th Annual Event

North and South Saanich Agricultural Society fall fair and Exhibition will be officially opened at Saanichton at 2.15 p.m. Monday, by Dr. J. B. Munro, deputy minister of agriculture. The agricultural hall and grounds will be open to the public at 10 a.m.

Officers of the society responsible for the fair include Willard W. Mitchell, president, Albert Hoyle, first vice-president, David H. Meyer, second vice-president, Frank Butler, third vice-president, Stuart O. Stodart, secretary-treasurer; George T. Mitchell, A. Doney, A. H. Primeau, Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, H. Brooks, and Dr S. F. Miles, finance committee, and Edward Oakes and George Nunn, auditors. There are also 81 directors.

Judges will include Col. R. Richmond, saddle horse contestor, C. C. Evans, Chilliwack, Jersey cattle; R. L. Wilkinson, Courtenay, Holstein and Ayrshire cattle, Harry L. Reid, Vancouver, and A. Sansbury, Saanichton, poultry; F. P. Rosefort, rabbits; J. J. Woods, Saanichton, grain, grasses, field roots and potatoes, E. R. Neil, fruit and Howard and George Robinson, Elk Lake, flowers.

C. Jeffrey, honey; Mrs. F. M. Evans, ladies' work; O. E. Fleming, photography; E. W. White, vegetables, M. W. Randall, eggs, E. J. P. Woodward, sheep, Major J. A. Dewar, Highland events, Miss Geraldine Mann and Miss D. Goodfellow, jam, bottled fruit, pies, cakes and bread.

IN CHARGE OF GROUNDS

Members of the hall and grounds committee are Frank Butler, Albert Doney, S. Pickles, W. J. H Miller, Dr. S. F. Miles, George T Mitchell, A. W. Aylard and R. E. Nimmo.

The reception committee is composed of Mrs. R. Hughes, Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell.

Mrs. F. Ferguson, Mrs. W. Mitchell and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell.

Challenge trophies at stake include the Dewdney Shield, livestock; Dr. S. F. Tolmie Cup, horses, Saanich Loyal Orange Lodge Cup, Mrs. Jack Freer cups, and the Mrs. Watney Plate for saddle horses; City of Victoria Cup, Eric W. Hamber Cup, Breakfast-Ear Milling Company Cup, Royal Bank of Canada Cup, F. G. Cope Cup and the Mrs. A. J. B. Dewar Cup, for cattle; Vancouver Island Rabbit Breeders' Association, F. Bourchier, D. Spencer, Ltd., Buckerfield's, Ltd., Diamond "S" Rabbitry, Sparkes, Espey, Variale Rabbit and Poultry Farm, Clark & Cordick, and Greenwood awards for rabbits; Mitchell-Turgoose Cup, interior exhibits; J. W. Tolmie Cup, vegetables, George Stewart Cup, fruit, Mrs. W. D. Mitchell Challenge Trophy, jams and bottled fruits; Adeline Grant Cup and John Doig Cup, Highland events.

Afternoon Highland events in charge of Major J. A. Dewar will include Highland fling, sword dances, reels of Tulloch, Irish jigs, Seaan Truibhas, sailor's hornpipes, competitions for the best Highland costumes, and piping events for professionals, novices and children R. E. Nimmo will be in charge of sports events, including foot races for boys and girls, sack races, broad jumps and high jumps. A special prize will be awarded by James Turner, Royal Oak, to the boy or girl who obtains the greatest number of points.

Dr. S. F Miles will direct a cowboy show and saddle horse competition.

Port Alberni Briefs

PORT ALBERNI, Sept. 4. — Children's sports marked the opening of the annual Paul Bunyan Day here. Canoe races and Indian sports will be held Sunday. On Monday there will be a Labor Day parade, loggers' and sawmill workers' sports for $6,000 in prizes, and the annual open type fishing derby for $400 in prizes.

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, which recently turned down a request that Radio Station CJAV be served with Dominion network programs, will be asked by the city council to remedy the causes of interference with radio reception at Port Alberni.

Collections of property taxes showed a decrease compared with the amount received up to August, 1947. "There is more money in savings accounts than ever before," Mayor Loran K Jordan commented. "Then it must be in the hands of a few persons," Ald. George Fallhard replied.

A wild rumor that a fisherman was being dragged along Alberni Canal by an enormous salmon was investigated by Provincial Police. They found that a young man fishing with Charles Keag, 71, was merely taking his time in landing a fish because of a weak spot in his line.

Bing Crosby has been invited by Port Alberni and Alberni organizations to visit the district and enjoy free salmon fishing.

Visitors this month will include A. J. McLane, New York, editor of Field and Stream, William McGinn, ad. National Film Board, and Charles Rita, Paris, France, an international authority on fly fishing.

Complete Luxton Plans

LUXTON, Sept. 4.—Plans have been completed for the Metchosin district Farmers' Institute Fall Fair at Luxton Hall and Fair Grounds on September 18 E. Carlson, who is in charge of field crop and dairy products exhibits, announced that J. J. Woods, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station, Saanichton, would judge these classes.

Livestock entries in charge of J. Woods, Glen Lake, will be judged by Alec Turner, Langford.

Special prizes for the poultry section have been donated by R Rothgarth, J. J. Lang, and F. H. Shavemaln, who will be in charge of exhibits. W. Harold Pope, provincial poultry inspector, will judge poultry and rabbits.

Home cooking and preserves, in charge of Mrs. A. Brazshurn, will be judged by Miss Geraldine Mann.

A registered Jersey bull calf has been donated as a prize by H. Williams, Sooke Road.

Final details of the fair will be discussed by the farmers' institute next Thursday, and entries must be received by Friday.

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Motorcyclist Hurt Near Lagoon Bridge

LADYSMITH, Sept. 4. — Douglas Gerald Gillow, 21, Chemainus, recovered consciousness in Ladysmith General Hospital and is making favorable progress, according to Dr. S. W. Baker. Byrne suffered a fractured skull early Friday evening when his motorcycle swerved off the highway by Lagoon bridge, two miles south of Ladysmith, and he was catapulted from the seat.

Island Veteran Gets New Post

LADYSMITH, Sept. 4 — Colin Gourlay, a graduate of the University of British Columbia who recently received his Master of Commerce degree at the University of Toronto, has been appointed to the faculty of the University of British Columbia.

Mr. Gourlay, who will assume his new duties in the commerce department of the university this month, is the son of Mrs. David Gourlay and the late Mr. Gourlay of this city. He received his early education at the Ladysmith schools, completing his senior matriculation here, and was later graduated from the Provincial Normal school at Victoria.

He was a flight-lieutenant in the R.C.A.F. and held the post of instructor in navigation at Rivers, Man. Prior to the war, he taught in the Peace River area and at Vancouver.

Dangerous Driving Charge Sustained

LADYSMITH, Sept. 4—Convicted on a charge of dangerous driving, Robert Rae, Jr., was fined $35 and $4 costs by Magistrate W. B. Bryant. Rae was represented by F. S. Cunliffe, Nanaimo.

The charge arose from an accident at the intersection of Third Avenue and Roberts Street. Four persons were injured when Rae's automobile was in collision with another in charge of Michael Smith, Northfield. Police evidence showed the Smith car received damage estimated at $600 when it was carried 42 feet and landed on its side. Damage to Rae's car was set at $300.

Set Port Alberni Kinsmen Banquet

PORT ALBERNI, Sept. 4 — Activities of the Kinsmen Club of the Alberni District Kinsmen Club and Kinette Club will take place next Saturday night in the Bonsai Hotel dining-room. Following the dinner and installation ceremonies, members and their guests will enjoy an evening of dancing.

Reward McLean will be officially installed as president. The retiring president is Dr. P. Miller. Mrs. Marion Glasier will take over as president of the Kinettes from Mrs. Do Bradley.

Start New Lodge

Orangemen throughout Vancouver Island have been invited to attend the opening of Tsouhalem District Orange Lodge in the Cobble Hill Legion Hall, Duncan, at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Grand Lodge officers will attend. Victoria Orangemen will leave their hall on Courtenay Street, for Duncan at 6:45 p.m.

Ladysmith Branch President Resigns

LADYSMITH, Sept 4 —Members of Ladysmith and District Branch No. 131, Canadian Legion, received the resignation of Patrick English, president, with regret.

"Pat," as he is familiarly called, has been transferred by his insurance firm to Port Alberni.

It is understood that the first vice-president, Dr Howard A Bowker, will assume the presidency.

Delegates were appointed to interview representatives of the Women's Auxiliary of the Legion with a view to arranging Poppy Day sales.

Funeral Tuesday

NANAIMO, Sept. 4 — Mrs Gloria Madeline Dorothy Bonsall, 44, a native of England, and a resident of Nanaimo for the past eight years, died on Saturday. She is survived by her mother, Carl, and one son, Carl, Jr. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. N. S. Noel in the Westwood-Hirst Funeral Home here, Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Weather Forecasts

West Coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy. Clear about noon. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

East Coast of Vancouver Island — Variable cloudiness in southern section. Clearing during morning. Overcast with intermittent rain at extreme northern section. Wind southeast, 15 m.p.h. Little change in temperature.

Junior Commerce Group To Stage Fishing Derby

PORT ALBERNI, Sept. 4.—With delegates expected from Seattle, Port Angeles, Vancouver and Victoria, the Alberni District Junior Chamber of Commerce has completed a complete agenda for the first international tyee fishing Derby and installation here on Friday and Saturday, September 17 and 18.

The Derby is planned to get under way at 5 a.m. Friday, September 17. Hon. Leslie H. Eyres, Minister of Trade and Industry, will officiate at installation of the officers.

Washington State members will conclude a meeting at Seattle shortly before the local event, and it is anticipated that many of them will come to Alberni district direct.

Following is the agenda: 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., cocktails and entertainment at the Tidebrook Hotel, headquarters; 8 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., dinner at Rosebank, with a welcome to guests by Charles Taylor, president; annual report of the president, introduction of Mr. Eyres, address by Mayor L. K. Jordan, Port Alberni, and an address by Mayor J. V. Mills, Alberni; 8:30 p.m., adjournment, and 8:30 to 1:30 a.m., dance at Rosebank.

The fleet of the Port Boat House has been reserved for the salmon Derby. Prizes will be provided for the smallest fish, and greatest number of fish caught.

A bonfire will be set on the island in Alberni Canal where hot coffee and doughnuts will be available.

Get More Rain At Parksville

PARKSVILLE, Sept. 4 — G. M. Wright, local meteorologist who has kept weather records here for many years, reported rainfall in the Parksville area for August was 1.65 inches, more than three times as much as the average recorded over a period of ten years in the district.

July was also unusually damp here, with rainfall of 1.56 inches registered by Mr. Bernard. The extra moisture has damaged field crops, especially potatoes and tomatoes. Some hay crops were spoiled, and grain has gone mouldy from having to stay in the fields so long to dry out.

August is usually considered the best month for tourists here, but this year resorts reported vacancies even in the middle of the month. Many tourists cancelled reservations or returned home earlier than they intended.

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Appoint Delegate

LADYSMITH, Sept. 4. — At a special meeting of the Ladysmith Chamber of Commerce, Frank M. Dockrill was appointed delegate to the annual general meeting of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, to be held at the Hotel Vancouver from October 26 to 28.

LONDON (CP) — The days in London in 1947 raised £307,250 ($1,439,100) or £38,004 less than in 1946.

To Give Benes State Funeral

PRAGUE, Sept. 4 (CP) — A state funeral will be held Wednesday or Thursday for former president Eduard Benes, the Ministry of Information announced today.

Benes will be buried near his country home at Sezimovo Usti, 60 miles south of Prague, where he died yesterday.

Benes' body will lie in state for two days at Sezimovo Usti and then will be moved to the capital to lie in state for two more days in the pantheon of the Prague Museum.

A week of public mourning has been ordered. During that time Cabinet members will cancel all public appearances. All state theatres will be closed and all other theatres have been asked to present programs of a solemn nature.

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"TWO OF A KIND"
—Colin Forrest

"THAT'S A JOKE!"
—Ger Dixon

LITTLE FOLK!

The four photographs on this page formed part of an exhibition of informal prints by members of the Victoria Camera Club. Innocence and natural posture, freedom from the formal, was the theme of the collection.

"OUTSIDE THE STORE DOOR"
—J. A. McVie

"WEE THREE"
—C. P. V. Forrest

Oak Tales and Old Trees

By H. B. BINNY

Major Oak, Sherwood Forest

AMONG the most familiar trees in and around Victoria is the Oak. The native species which flourishes so greatively everywhere about the city is the "Garry" or "Oregon White" Oak Or itself it possesses the rather meagre distinction of being the second largest variety on the Pacific Coast of America but is certainly has a rere roster of distinguished relations.

Within the "Beech" family to which the Oaks belong we find, for example, the "Antarctic Beech" which once grew in the South Polar regions but now is confined to the most southerly Americas and Australasia the outstandingly ornamental "Copper" and "Rivers" Beeches and the "Spanish Chestnuts," one of which, the "Castagno del Cento Cavalli," on the slopes of Mount Aetna in Sicily, is highly interesting but not very well known. This individual exceeds the largest of the famous "Bigtree" of California in girth and in diameter though never in height or volume The "Boole" Bigtree, the circumference of which at 112 feet is greater than that of either the "Grinkle Sherman" or the "General Grant," otherwise considerably larger, is quite slender compared with the Chestnut of Sicily, which, in 1845, had a girth of 209.27 feet and a diameter of 66.66 feet. This gianolic tree has, within the memory of living man, split into three parts though it is still unified below ground. It derives its name from the fact that it once sheltered Queen Giovanna of Aragon and an escort of one hundred horsemen though the authorities still appear to be wrangling over whether this imperial procession was sheltering from the rain or the sun.

FAMILY RELATIONS

The Chinese "Ezhu" or "Evergreen" Oak which produces sweet tasting acorns is yet another very close relation to our local Oak and a few of these trees are to be found in the Southern States, notably at the Plant Introduction Garden at Savannah, Georgia. Similarly, the acorns of some "Holm" Oaks are edible.

These are all "Oak" family relations of our "Garry" Oak, with the exception of the "Holm" Oak a trifle further removed from us than its generic relations which number in the hundreds Oaks flourish all over the world; some short, some tall; some abhase with fame. Among all known trees with historical, legendary or merely whimsical associations the Oaks are by far the most numerous.

"The brave, old oak" of England, of which there is a particularly fine example in the Arboretum at the Saanich Dominion Experimental Farm, is definitely a tree with a history Long before the unwelcomed arrival of Caesar on the shores of Kent, the Britons recognized certain trees as signposts along the tracks and trails of their forests. "The blasted oak," has long been the meeting place of lovers whose parents' displeasure could easily have had something to do with the "blasting." The naves of Henry VIII, Drake and Nelson were stirring products of various English forests It is reliably recorded that the Spanish Government of 1588 undoubtedly recognized this with especial reference to their Armada that "they should yet be sure not to leave a tree standing in the Forest of Dean." However, the Spanish spy system appears to have been caught slightly off base since, with Dean in Gloucestershire, several miles of Spanish Sailbeth's reign provided that "the Oak for the Royal Navy shall come out of the Weralds of Surrey, Sussex or Kent." Many years later, across the Atlantic, the Banks Rose "Live Oaks" of Pensacola Bay in Florida provided much of the timber for the American Navy while "Old Ironsides" mostly originated in the Oak Forest of St. Catherine's Island off the coast of Georgia.

TREES OF WORSHIP

The Norse "World Tree," with its roots in Hela, its trunk reaching to Heaven and its boughs spreading over the Universe, was an Ash; the "Tree of Knowledge" and the miraculous tree in the Paradise of Mahomet were both fruit trees; a "Dragon" tree probably graced the Gardens of the Hesperides;' a "Dinkgo" is worshipped in Japan and a "Dawn Redwood" in China. The "Thorn of Glastonbury" which sprang from the staff of Joseph of Arimathea and bloomed every Christmas Day thereafter was highly revered in England. The conqueror, Xerxes decorated and set a guard about a "Plane" tree on the Bosphorus. Rowan or Mountain Ash trees are proof against witchcraft; hazels and willows are endowed with the magical property of indicating water. But, of all trees, the Oak was always especially sacred. It was so to the American Indians and in a manner to the Greeks and Romans Among the ferocious Ostrogoths (! "bad peace" and could not be felled. Oak groves were always selected for the Druidic rites of sacrifice and cutting the Mistletoe, "Marriage Oaks" were formerly characteristic features of the English scene and custom, "Royal Oak" or "Oak Apple Day" is a relic of festivals whose origins are lost far back in the infancy of civilisation but which have their successor in this very day

VARIETY OF USES

Outside the bounds of religion there seem to be no limit to the variety of uses to which Oaks have been put Apart from being the national tree of England, the Oak is likewise the State Tree in Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, Tennessee and West Virginia. A Spanish Oak at Boscobel offered sanctuary to His Britannic Majesty, King Charles II, when he was fleeing the Puritan armies Sanctuary to game cocks, particularly on Shrove Tuesday was found in the Oak Tree "Cockpen" Oak in Sherwood Forest to "scatter well out of the way of dunghill poultry" This "Cockpen" Oak still stands, now yclept the "Major" Oak. An orchestra once performed from within the hollow of "Duke's Vaunt" Oak in Savernake Forest while a prostitute to be found in Chinese town of about A.D. 850, "... the seeds . . . punctured by insects and perforated are good for the preparation of leather; those without holes are used as medicine." Of course, Oak-Apples are not seeds but galls caused by a small wasp. The wasp in question is always female and achieves fertility alone and unaided while the perforations in the oak-gall are merely her means of egress thrown when she reaches maturity.

But the prime "minor product" of the Oaks is cork. The industry is chiefly situated in the Iberian Peninsula, across the Straits of Hercules in North Africa and, to some extent, in Italy Orasz efforts are being carried in the United States to grow Cork Oaks on a commercial scale but any of the few old trees to be found today were doubtless smuggled in from Spain or Portugal many years ago While cork is produced by quite a variety of unrelated trees, incidently, conifers, the Cork Oak alone goes into the business in a really big way. The climate of Canada—even that of Victoria—is a little chilly for Cork Oaks but, given the right temperature range, but, given from seed or as grafts on either evergreen or deciduous native species.

OUTSIDE THE GROUP

Several timbers are called "Oak" which in reality, do not belong to the Oak genus at all They are known as "African Oak," the extremely hard and heavy product of the "Ekki" tree, as well as the beautiful Silky Oak, a wood produced by three different species The odd "Sheokes" and "Buloke" of Australia and several rather striking woods from the sub-tropical forests of Queensland also fall into the category. "Brown Oak," on the other hand, is oak which has been acted upon by a fungus and "Bog Oak" is oak timber which has been buried or submerged for a great many years. Ireland is the main source of Bog Oak "a rather problematical commodities as its behaviour on exposure ranges from complete collapse to almost the rigidity of concrete.

Oak timber, nevertheless, has a reputation for great durability though the characteristic is not invariable. The good ship, "Royal William," lasted ninety-four years, the "Sovereign of the Seas" was pulled to pieces after forty-two years' service and most of her timbers were found fit for incorporation in a new vessel The "hammer beam" roof of Westminster Hall, erected in 1395, lasted well over five hundred years being repaired only in 1919 All were products of the Oak family.

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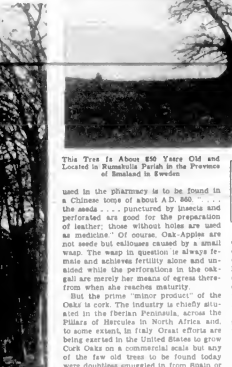
King John's Oak, Knole Park



This Tree Is About 850 Years Old and Located in Rumshulta Parish in the Province of Smaland in Sweden

Yukon Yarns and Legends

By ARTHUR C. HINTON

The Ice had been forming along the edges of the Yukon River at the beginning of November as the temperature steadily dropped 10, 30, 30 to 38 degrees below zero. By the end of the month all that remained of this mighty river was a narrow currents of water which gradually got less and less, until, by the first week of December, all was ice—the river was frozen.

The fish under the ice, the grayling, trout and whitefish did not look forward to being cooped down under a layer of ice for long months. Most of them liked the warm, sunny days of May when the flies and mosquitoes and insects of all kinds hovered over the water, in the hot afternoon, when all Nature seemed to be at rest.

At first there were plenty of minute larvae in the river and coming in from the river's inlets to sustain all fish, but as February lengthened into March and the temperature dropped lower than ever, the fish began to get weary They wanted the ice to break so that they could see the flies on the water again, and to be whirled among the air of early freshets, in which there was much food

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At last well into April the fish called a council of their senior members to decide upon the time and spot where the ice should be broken

It was a meagre and thin company of fish which assembled on the quiet, sandy bottom of the river near the inlet of a creek now completely frozen from surface to bed.

Outside this council chamber gathered the stalwarts of all the fish families in the river. It was their duty to carry out the wishes of the council when the exact time and place had been set for the break through

A grayling was giving his testimony to the council. He spoke bitterly of the long Winter, and asked the council to consider, carefully, the spot to be selected for the break through. He advised that the place should be as far upstream from the Carcross River down the river as the Caribou brought thousands of fish in their wake a break through nearly to May when the vast herds began their annual trek to the north would be ideal For all concerned

The salmon representative opposed this idea of the grayling's The whole salmon family wanted the break through to come earlier His relatives were due in from the sea sooner than May, and with ice in the creek they could not come up stream" He told the council that as the salmon were the more numerous in the river their views should be respected and grailed

An old Arctic trout who weighed close to 40 pounds, and who, in addition to being a philanderer, had the reputation of being a widely traveled fish—It was said that he had been in every lake, creek and river, in the Yukon—told the council to forget all about the break through. The Arctic trout were used to such conditions as ice and cold, and they were content to let Nature take its course

The council let the Arctic trout had other fish to fry, and he was dismissed from the council with the caution to mind his own business

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After due consideration the council set the time and date for break through, and the break through gang were given their instructions

When the news of the council's resolutions reached all the fish in the river, thousands of grayling, salmon and trout swam to the scene to watch the event. The break through gang consisted of the strongest fish in the river. Their leader had carefully inspected the ice at the spot selected by the council, and was satisfied that his crew could break through quite easily.

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At the appointed second, minute and hour of a certain day, the break through gang, who had been in their position for some time to work. Ten thousand fish grouped in rows of 500 each, swam against the current to make the water ready for a break through at the selected spot in the ice. They had just completed their task, which was to be done in sufficient time for a break through take place, and had taken their places to watch the climax. This was to be a mighty event indeed. Each year some outstanding fish was selected to accomplish the actual break through, that is to say it was a five-year-old salmon of the famous cohoe family who had been selected. He had just returned from a visit to the King of the Fish in the Great White Sea as ritual demanded, and although tired from swimming 3,000 miles against the current was ready for his task.

At the exact moment this salmon swam up stream for half a mile then turned and swooping down with the current at its utmost speed, shot like a flash towards the thin ice, and with a flip of his tail broke through.

Penniless Tailor: 50 Years a King

By WEBSTER FAWCETT

DETERMINED to prepare for any emergency in case he should be involved in the Arab warfare in Israel, a destitute penniless tailor's stitcher is marshalling an army today in one of the strongest kingdoms in the world. In his teens, nearly 60 years ago, young Tom Horton set out across the sea from Newcastle to make his fortune Now he is ruler of an island in the Persian Gulf and he is shortly celebrating the 50th year of his reign.

His amazing career commenced when his ship accidently left him behind at Jeddah. Badly off as any ship-wrecked Crusoe, stranded in an unknown country knowing nothing of the language or customs, he begged in the evil-smelling streets and learned a few words of Arabic.

THE RICH MERCHANT

In the dangerous country of the Hejaz he fell in with a rich merchant, Ras Bidah, and traveled with him up and down the length of the Red Sea and Persian Gulf. His career had begun.

He commanded, on behalf of Ras Bidah, ships crammed to overflowing with spices of the East, cloths and rich foodstuffs, and slaves from East Africa.

Landing a cargo of human beings at a village near the mouth of the Tigris, Horton saw them drives off screaming victims of the guards' three-thonged whips Mad with anger, Horton himself seized a lash and attacked the guards viciously. Till then he had not realized the cruelty of slave-dealing.

On his own once more, he found himself in Basra, with only a few coins in his pocket. His knowledge of cloth now stood him in good stead. He bought up bales of fabrics on the quayside and determined to gain the wholesale trade of the city, suiting the prices of richer merchants and offering the best value for the least price

OWNER OF FLEET

Ten years later Thomas Horton was known as Musselman Bajo, chief merchant in Basra, famed throughout Persia and Arabia for his splendid bargaining, owner of a fleet of merchandise ships that sailed up and down the Gulf

When Eli, Sheikh of Kishm, traveled from the island over which he ruled into Basra, been a rash upon Horton was a sheer necessity. Only Horton could supply bales of stuffs at such a discount. More of a courtesy than anything else, Eli appointed Horton commander of his naval forces.

Horton quickly seized his opportunity He had grown tired of trading and interminable Eastern haggling He sailed with his astonished sheikh back to Kishm, a palm-girt island set in still waters Horton had not been in the royal palace very long before he learned that the prisons were full to overflowing with the unfortunate victims of Eli's taxation system. The peasants had either to pay over 90 per cent of their annual profits or languish in jail.

Dissatisfaction reigned everywhere The subjects of Kishm were little better than slaves. Uneducated, unclothed, ill-housed, they thirsted for vengeance Eli was hated equally by the cheaky—yet with he was a tyrant and his palace was the scene of riotous orgies.

SURRENDER OF ELI

Horton decided to appeal to the people when they came to town to deliver their annual tax in cash. Thousands of the town was packed to overflowing, he went to the mosque, around which dense masses of people had assembled. There was an uprising Sulphur-fires set burning around the palace walls to force Eli to surrender over five hundred years being repaired only in 1919 All were products of the Oak family.

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Benedictines Working on New Version of Catholic Bible

ROME 4/8 — Twenty Benedictine monks are toiling on one of the most monumental scholastic tasks of all time, the production of a true version of the official Roman Catholic Bible

For nearly 16 years now, the specially-trained philologians of the French St. Jerome Monastery in Rome have been at their job. The first seven books of the Old Testament have been revised and published in a new edition, for scholars only

The monks expect to be at work the next 9 years from now But time is of no importance to them In their modern hexagonal library, where their laborious study of ancient biblical manuscripts is so exacting that they can work only three hours a day.

The great work began about the turn of the century Pope Pius XII commanded that official Roman Catholic Bible—the Latin Vulgate edition, as it is called—needed revision. The objective was perfection, to produce the best possible critical edition, one that would come as close as possible to St. Jerome's translation of the Bible from Hebrew

JEROME'S VERSION LOST

St. Jerome's work of the 4th century has never been found, but present-day editions of the Bible stem from translations or reproductions of his work that were passed down through the ages The scholars of the Catholic Church believed that it left room for various translation errors, which the monks of St. Jerome hope to correct.

The abbot of the monastery, Father Pierre Salmon, directs the great project. He said the nature of the work makes it almost exclusively for scholars but, "It is expected to be the cornerstone of any future scholarly critical edition of the Bible, whether Catholic or Protestant."

The work began with a world-wide search for all ancient manuscripts which formed the basis of present Bibles, including the Clementine edition of 1592 which is the currently-accepted Latin Vulgate Bible of the Catholic Church. Not even the scholars who published the Clementine edition had access to all the information the St. Jerome monastery gathered.

Old parchment manuscripts, documents written on leather hides, all handwritten and crawled in a variety of scripts, faded with time, marred by the foraging trail of worms, all in Latin and all dating from the seventh to the 14th centuries, were carefully gathered by the advance guard of experts. The best documents were found in Italy, but other important ones came from France, Britain, Ireland and southern Germany—and one from Russia.

Tuberculosis Strikes at Men

WASHINGTON (NANA).— Tuberculosis is becoming a man's disease. The death rate from this white plague in the United States now is nearly twice as great for men as women.

This curious trend is shown by tuberculosis statistics for the past 27 years just compiled by the U.S. Public Health Service

During this period the death rate for tuberculosis among women dropped from about 150 to a little more than 55 per year for each 100,000 of the population. With education and sanitation the disease long since has lost its place as the nation's greatest killer. Nearly every year has shown a decline. But there has been an ever widening gap between the death rates for males and females.

At the start of the period, about a fifth more men than women died of the malady. Now there is a difference of more than 90 per cent between white men and white women. Among the colored population, the difference is not quite as wide 74 per cent higher for males than females.

The statistics show curious age differences in tuberculosis deaths rates between the sexes. Among white males the rate rises steadily from about two per 100,000 for boys between 10 and 14 to a maximum of about 158 between the ages of 65 and 74. Among females there is a sharp rise in adolescence and the early twenties. But the number of deaths levels off between 25 and 34 and then shows a slight decline until the age of 84. Then there is a gradual increase up to the 75th year. At no time over the age of 30 does the rate for women equal the rate for men. Among colored people there are the same general differences, although less pronounced No effort is made to explain the difference uncovered.

River Dee and Old Bridge of Dee Chester

Caernarvon Castle From the Quayside

Touring in North Wales

By CHRISTOPHER MARLOWE

COME with me on a tour of North Wales, a land of high hills and smiling valleys, of mountain streams and frowning castles. Industries in this region are few, the main occupation of the people being farming.

We will start from Chester, the great border city on the River Dee. With her strong walls two miles in circumference, 40 feet high and sufficiently wide for two people to walk comfortably abreast, her unique "rows," which consist of arcades formed by the second stories of the houses receding 16 feet from the first and covered in to form a promenade above the street and her ancient cathedral in which may be found every variety of architecture from Norman to Late Perpendicular. This outpost of England on the threshold of Wales is one of the most interesting sites in Britain. Existing ever since Roman days, she carries on at the present time important manufactures of lead, paint, furniture upholstery and other trades.

GLADSTONE'S HOME

On a fine clear morning we leave her precincts to arrive in a few miles at Hawarden, home for many years of the Victorian statesman, William Ewart Gladstone and then turning north we follow the estuary of the River Dee to Holywell, where stands the long-celebrated well of St. Winifred. Many invalids come here hoping to be cured of their infirmities and the chapel built over the well is full of crutches and other appliances bearing testimony to the power of faith.

Holywell has been a place of pilgrimage since the ninth century and has often been called the Welsh "Lourdes." A curious relic in the parish church is a bell which used to be strapped to the leg of a man who perambulated the streets, thus announcing the time of service.

A mile or two further brings us to Rhuddlan, a fairly large village clustered about the ruins of a red sandstone castle and situated in the pretty Vale of Clyedd, which runs for three miles between the hills to the sea. Before proceeding to the coast, however, it is worth while making a detour to St. Asaph, whose cathedral is the smallest in Britain, with a total length of 182 feet. Although the seat of a bishop, this ecclesiastical city has a population of only 3,500.

At the termination of the Clydd valley stands Rhyl, a famous watering place with miles of splendid sands. Here in Summertime come thousands of holiday-makers to bask in the sun and inhale the strong health-giving air.

Following the coastline by way of two other noted holiday resorts, Colwyn Bay and Llandudno, we arrive at Conway and stand by the estuary of the river of that name. A tubular railway bridge and suspension bridge carry rail and road across the water to where a ruined castle illustrates the parsimony of a former owner who stripped the lead from the roofs and sold it to make money. This was in 1665.

The stout walls of the town, built by Edward I of England to overawe the Welsh remain practically as they were originally and there is also an interesting manor house of Queen Elizabeth's days called "Plas Mawr," with panelled rooms and fireplaces, the whole structure containing 365 windows, one for each day and 52 doors, one for each week in the year.

Still going northwards, we come to Bangor, seat also of a tiny cathedral containing a queer relic of olden days in the form of a pair of irons which were used to remove dogs from the precincts. In front of us lies a broad sheet of water called the Menai Strait, separating the mainland from the island of Anglesey. A suspension bridge over 1,000 feet long and standing 100 feet above the sea carries the road across to the island—the most northerly outpost of Wales.

With a final glance at the bridge constructed by the engineer Telford in 1826, we go south to Caernarvon, which lies on the border of Snowdonia, at once the wildest and most beautiful part of Wales.

FIRST PRINCE OF WALES

Caernarvon Castle, built by King Edward I, was in those days one of the strongest fortresses of the age and for many years a royal residence as well. Here King Edward presented his infant son, the future Edward II, to the Welsh nation as the first "Prince of Wales" and to this day the eldest son of the reigning monarch of England is similarly presented at a ceremony known as "The Investiture."

Here, too, there is often held a typically Welsh festival called an "Eisteddfod." The Welsh are noted for their love of music and every year a competition takes place for prowess in choral singing declamation of verse and vocal and instrumental music.

Snowdonia, as its name implies, is the district immediately surrounding Mount Snowdon, a lofty giant towering up 3,546 feet, from whose summit on a clear day we can see not only the Isle of Man and the distant coast of Ireland, but the peak of many neighboring mountains and clusters of lakes. A rack and pinion railway runs from the village of Llanberis to the top, but we being more active prefer to ascend on foot. As we climb higher, the panorama gradually unfolds, peak after peak falling away below, until at last we stand as it were alone in the world. But not every day is clear and often we might make the ascent only to be greeted or be shroud of mist, completely veiling the hidden grandeur.

PASS OF LLANBERIS

At the bottom of the mountain and separating it from the Glyder hills runs the wild and narrow Pass of Llanberis. Immense boulders, which seem always on the point of falling, crown the heights and we look up with awe to the majesty of Y Wyfra, the highest peak of Snowdon. The summit of the pass is reached at Gorphysfa, starting-point for the ascent of the mountain on foot, whence we descend to the hamlet of Pen-y-Gwryd.

As we traverse this isolated region, we see few people but many sheep upon the hills. Scattered farmsteads are the only habitations. Here the Welsh language has been spoken since the dawn of British history and continues today to be the national tongue. Religious to a degree, the lonely dweller in Snowdonia lives in a world of his own, content in his isolation and seeking no companionship, save that of his immediate neighbors.

HEART OF MOEL SIABOD

At the end of the pass stands the village of Capel Curig in the very heart of the mountains, beside a charming lake. Valleys and tall hills form an appropriate setting with the height of Moel Siabod (2,866 feet) seeming from this point to dwarf Snowdon itself. Six miles further bring us to Betws-y-Coed, the name meaning "chapel-in-the-wood," a little town closely hemmed in by hills, whose lower slopes are densely wooded. Here are some notable waterfalls.

Turning now eastwards, we pass Corwen where a short detour to the south will lead to Lake Bala, the largest natural sheet of water in Wales, 3¾ miles long and ¾ mile broad. Thence it is but a few miles to the lovely Vale of Llangollen which is almost completely overshadowed by great mountains and deep woods. At the end of the valley we meet the main road to Chester and so return to our starting point, having covered in all some 200 miles through one of the most romantic districts to be found in Britain.—U.K. Information Service.

Bishop Lloyd's House, Watergate, Chester

British Official Photographs

Want a Bath Finn Style? Watch for Female Scrubber

By JUDY DARDEN

BERLIN (NANA) This is a story about taking a bath—or, as it is quaintly called a sauna—in Finland, Sweden and Germany and, if it proves anything, it proves that this business of taking a bath can be carried too far.

In Finland you are told the Finns are all strong and healthy because they take the right sort of bath. "Try one," they say. If you do—well, you mill through rooms and rooms of scalding steam, prodded on by slaps across the back with wet towels until exhausted and ready to cry for mercy, you find yourself suddenly thrown out upon a hill of snow to cool off. That's where the nightmare begins.

In Sweden it's somewhat different. There you are scrubbed in a tub by a hefty female who'd be a sissy if she used an ordinary brush, and who therefore used something like wire wool. No sooner are you—in the tub than in comes this wench, armed with all the instruments of torture dangling one by one from pegs of long the little accident of her having thereby sent your head under water—she proceeds to scrape.

SCRAPE AND SCRUB

She scrapes all the skin off that leg then reaches for the other. She is strong and powerful and nobody hears or pays any attention to your screams. When you're completely skinned, she takes you almost by the hair, yanks you from the tub and swings you into a tiny room with a shower.

Delightful warm water flutters down on you. But suddenly the water turns from warm to icy. You beat on the doors. You are locked in—trapped—and in that tiny cubicle you can't escape the shower. When the husky dame thinks you've had enough she opens the door, flicks a towel around you like a lasso and pulls you out a blind, helpless, trembling pulp. Then the rubdown begins. The towel isn't exactly made of wire wool, but I'll bet that barbed wire has been woven into it. The last of your skin disappears at this point and you fall onto a couch, especially built for falling skins enthusiasts.

THE HOW IN GERMANY

In Germany it's different again. Here in Berlin there's a small sauna down a basement where you open a door and find yourself smack in the centre of a bunch of nudists. There's nothing fancy here—not even a cloakroom for your clothes. You just drop your clothes anywhere and stand in line awaiting your turn to be scrubbed.

When your turn comes, the attendant explains that she can't put all she ought to into this job because she's suffering from a lack of vitamins and hasn't the strength she had before the war. And you're grateful for that—for the scrubbing she gives you is still quite a trial. Then you walk into a tiny hot room and sit for ten minutes around a stove. Then comes a second brush treatment and a massage to meet. You beg for mercy here, find your clothes and leave.

On the Records

Reviews of the Newest Recordings of Music in Concert, Solo and Popular

By DAVID C. WHITNEY

NEW YORK (UP)—Al Goodman, who has conducted the orchestra for many a Broadway operetta, leads his band for a new Victor album of selections from "Rose Marie." The eight sides include Charles Fredericks singing "The Mounties" and the title song. Marion Bell does a fine job singing "Pretty Things" and "Lak Jerem." Christina Lind assists on some of the other excellent numbers.

Capitol has three good new children's albums. The best, "Bugs Bunny and the Tortoise," features Mel Blanc, of "Woody Woodpecker" fame. The album itself, even without benefit of the two record story, is bound to be popular with the youngsters, for it contains a 40-page record reader with full page color illustrations.

Another good Capitol children's album is "The Kitties' Songs for Children." The cowboy songster pops up with pieces as "The Animal Fair," "I Was Born a Hundred Years Ago" and "The Green Grass Grew All Around."

The liveliest of the three is a two record album, "Nursery Rhymes," with 23 children's verses sung by Ken Carson. The numbers include nearly all the popular rhymes of childhood, such as "The Three Little Kittens," "Pop Goes the Weasel," "Twinkle, Twinkle" and others.

New Singles

Marion Hutton, singing much, the same as her sister Betty, sips through a bass in "The Columbia Orchestra has some chasing "He, Bee, She Bees" (M-G-M) top-notch jazz with "Fiddle Faddle" and "Jas Pimlico-Jass Legato" (Columbia).

Jo Stafford sings two well paced numbers, "Every Day I Love You, Just a Little Bit More" and "This is the Moment." (Capitol).

Count Basie swings from the floor with "Seventh Avenue Express" (Victor).

Johnny Coco with the Melody Men have a fast, clever piece in "If a Man Answers—Hang Up" (Gem).

Oddly new one: Lena Horne's "Sometimes I'm Happy" (M-G-M). "Bebaba Moma," sung by Ray McKinley (Victor). Good Saxophone jazz by Stan Donahue, "September in the Rain" and "Cocktailing" (Capitol). Ray Anthony's "Gloria" (Signature). Les Brown's orchestrations of "Sophisticated Swing" and "Blue Danube" (Columbia).

The Lighter Side

By ALEC DE MONTMORENCY
North American Newspaper Alliance

NEW YORK—Lighter side of the news, culled from the world's press.

VALENTIND

This week saw the 21st anniversary of the death of Rudolph Valentino, perhaps the first of the great movie heart throbs. And, wouldn't you know the commies had to make a propaganda job out of that too. "Rudy didn't die a natural death—he was murdered. And by way of greater artistry, the rumor was begun in the village of Castellamarie, where the "Bellissimo" was born. "If Rudolph was living," the Communist local theirs cried as it picked up the rumor and held public protest meetings about it. "If those capitalist swine had not assassinated him, how many things he would have done for his Castellamarie."

ABC Madrid.

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FIRE!

Citizens of Caracas, Venezuela, take their baseball even more seriously than their bullfights these days. And the Latin equivalent of "moider da bum!" gets as strident that municipal authorities have decided to station troops and a fire crew at the stadium in addition to the usual police detachments. The aim, quite calmly announced is to help save the lives of umpires!

Ka Phera, Brussels.

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FIDO

Sweden's great port city of Gothenburg houses the headquarters of the Committee for Northern Europe. A big dog is always on guard in the hall of the Committee building—a Great Dane. The animal was called "Fido." Now he answers to the name of Fido.

(Dagens Nyheter Stockholm)

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EXPLORER

Marina, legendary hero of Marmillion tales, was back from an expedition to Africa. His awed friends listened as he told of his adventures.

"... there I was in the middle of the jungle when the dense undergrowth parted and a lion stood in my path, snarling. I had no gun! Not losing my head for a moment, I drew my bush knife and hit.

"The lion?" asked an open-mouthed listener.

"No, you fool," said Marina, "the trail home."

(La Vigie Marocaine Casablanca)

Broooches Back in Favor

By FRANCES SIDNEY

BROOCHES, which have recently made a tremendous return to favor, were very much in evidence at a recent show in London at which jewelers showed their latest creations in order to produce completely co-ordinated ensembles.

Most of the jewelry, of course, consisted of real gems and precious metals, but the decorative effect of brooches is not dependent on their intrinsic value, most of the brooches exhibited on the lapels of costumes and coats would look equally as attractive even if made of less expensive materials.

An especially fine example of how well jewelry and clothing fashions can be combined was contained in a well-tailored herringbone tweed costume whose effect was many times increased by the addition of a delicate flower-spray diviable brooch in mat and polished gold set with rubies and diamonds. The shaded gold, of the brooch blended beautifully with the muted colors of the herringbone cloth.

Another fine blend was achieved by placing a lovely gold brooch on the gold-striped tweed suit worn by a charming "New Look" costume, while the addition of a gold brooch with detachable pendants and matching ear-clips did much to relieve the rather severe lines of a black tweed princess-style coat.

MATT AND POLISHED

Matt and polished gold was again used to good effect on the finely checked boiled of another attractive daytime costume. The shadings of the brooch, which was set with rubies, harmonized with the subdued checks of the costume, while the rubies added just the right touch of color.

The boldly striped tagets of a two-piece tweed costume provided a most appropriate background for a lovely silver-and-gold palladium brooch, this palladium had been cleverly worked to suggest stripes, the emeralds toned beautifully with the green jacket and skirt.

£18,000 NECKLACE

Lovely as were these daytime costumes and jewels, the evening ensembles were thought by many to be even more striking. The outstanding effect of a red lace decollete evening gown, a diamond collet necklace, a diamond and ruby brooch and an exquisite diamond and ruby bracelet watch was, perhaps, the most outstanding of the ensembles shown.

In direct contrast to the sophistication of the red gown and its accompanying jewels was a charming ballet-length evening frock of white lace and tulle. A delicate tulle scarf was fastened to the front of the gown by a diamond and platinum brooch. A lovely platinum and aquamarine bracelet—as flexible as a ribbon—completed this completely delightful ensemble.

Crying Does You Good

By PETER DAVIS

WHEN Verne Sandusky began to weep at his troubles, he embarked on a record-breaking cry. After an hour, when he was still bawling his wife sent for a doctor. Thirty minutes later an ambulance was asked to stand by, and a crowd began to jostle outside Verne's home. The neighbors were nearly crying with him. Three hours later, after his tears had been falling steadily at the rate of one gallon an hour, Verne dried up.

Laboratory tests show that it takes about thirty tears to make an ounce. No one could possibly weep a bucketful. Verne, with his spurt of sobbing, had shed six ounces, or about a third of a pint, and had proved himself the world's champion cry-baby.

The next best record was a quarter of a pint squeezed out by the winner of the greatest contest ever staged at Conway Island. In a crying marathon, the shedder of the most tears was offered $25 and a silver championship cup. Scores of kids lined up at the box office willing to weep their best and hundreds of others planked down good money to watch the howling.

WITH SAD MUSIC

An orchestra played and music, contest entrants were shown tragic films, and one would-be prize-winner was "entered off" for secretly attempting to use an onion. Some of the entrants shed their tears by laughing rather than through pallidus, but this was considered within the rules.

Afterwards, Mrs. May Wilkinglan—an appropriate name since she proved the winner—broadcast her comments on a gold cry. "Two can cry better than one, she said. "The other people helped me lots this afternoon, and I'm sure crying must be good for you—I feel fine."

Sure enough, crying is good for you. Apart from the beneficial relief of nervous tension, tears are antiseptic and germ-killing by virtue of a ferment they contain called "lysozyme." You could dilute tears six million times with water and the lysozyme would still be sufficiently powerful to kill certain microbes.

Drug Farmers: Nature's Medicine Men

By GORDON FORBES

ACCLAIMED numerous times for its ideal climatic conditions for raising of certain commodities, Vancouver Island now has received this distinction from growers of drug plants.

Although a very minor business on the Island at present, Government officials and highly qualified university men who have studied the subject claim the province is extremely suitable for drug plant cultivation.

However, the potential drug or medicinal plant farmer receives numerous warnings and precautions from those few people in Canada who are familiar with the business. They warn that European growers, employing cheap labor, make competition on the market very keen for Canadian and American growers.

BUYING IN EUROPE

Prior to the war, most of the raw materials supplied to the world's few buyers, came from growers and collectors in Europe. When war broke out, these sources were completely cut off, and other nation's growers reaped great benefits. Buying prices of some drug plants increased 18 times its normal market price.

However, the situation at present has reversed. The Central European countries, especially Hungary, are fast rebuilding their great drug plant plantations, and again are supplying the greater part of the world demand as they have done, except for war years, for generations. These countries constitute the recognized source of the commodity, and officials of the Provincial Department of Agriculture believe Canada can only attract favorable attention by producing plants with higher drug contents.

COMMERCIAL OBSTACLE

Agricultural department officials are not reluctant to warn potential growers of the many pitfalls of this industry. They point out that dried herbs take a high freight rate and must be shipped across Canada to Eastern buyers. It is believed buyers will be more interested when sufficient tonnage is grown in this part of the country and an organization formed with enough supply to justify salaried shipments.

Nevertheless, with all these factors to be taken into consideration, there are Vancouver Island farmers growing medicinal plants, and quality grown here has competed favorably and successfully with the best grown anywhere in the world.

Digitalis lanata and digitalis purpurea (common foxglove) and a specialized variety of buckwheat are grown on Southern Vancouver Island. However, there are hundreds of other species of drug plants which it is believed could be suitably cultivated here. There are very few men in Canada who have a complete knowledge of the entire business, and Government officials admit that everything is now in the experimental stage

The Island-grown digitalis when processed produces a drug which is used as a heart stimulant, while the buckwheat contains a drug called rutin, which is capillary in its action, and used for treatment of hemorrhage.

EXPERIENCE NEEDED

Persons entering the drug plant growing field must be prepared to carry on careful painstaking work, and should have had some similar experience in carefully handling small plants. The grower must be sure he has a supply of seed of the exact variety which the buyer requires.

The prospective grower should have a definite market and contract before embarking upon any campaign to grow medicinal herbs. Many of the plants do not mature for several years, but others produce the first year.

Anyone interested in growing medicinal plants may receive valuable information at the Provincial Government Department of Agriculture, whose officials advise interested parties to obtain plenty of information before starting to plant.

In the advent of another world disturbance, Canadian and American drug plant production would automatically reach great heights because the buyers would be scrabbling for supplies, according to local enthusiasts.

GROWING FOR PROFIT

Very few drug plants are used in quantities sufficient to make them a promising crop for general cultivation, according to Government manuals. Many of the common ones, which can be grown and prepared for market with little difficulty, bring in a few cents a pound, and their cultivation offers little prospect of profit. A number of the high-priced drug plants must be given care for two years or more before a crop can be harvested, and since expensive equipment is usually required for their successful culture, the production of such crops offers little encouragement to inexperienced growers who are looking for quick returns and large profits from small investment.

With the agricultural development of the country the natural supply of medicinal plants has been reduced, and the activity of collectors has further depleted the supply, especially of those plants that have a relatively high market value

—Colonist Photo

Cultivated field of digitalis lanata is pictured above on farm of Wood and Thomson, Tanner Road, Saanichton. W. Thomson is seen raking ground plants. Government officials have stated that Island is well suited to growing of drug or medicinal plants. Although very few varieties are grown, hundreds of different types could be grown on Island, according to Provincial Department of Agriculture.

Nevertheless, many of these plants may still be found in forests, meadows and waste places

A United States Department of Agriculture bulletin has this to say "The first step in the collection of medicinal plants is to acquaint yourself with the demands. Dealers in crude botanical drugs usually publish lists of the plants they handle and indicate the general range of prices. It frequently happens that after gathering considerable quantity of some plant the collector finds that the market is fully supplied at the time and either there is no sale for it or it can be sold only at a price that will not repay the labor. Such a situation can be avoided by first submitting representative samples, together with a statement of the approximate quantity that can be furnished, to a number of reliable dealers."

Enthusiasts planning to cultivate drug plants should remember that the soil type very often is an important limiting factor in propagating different kinds of plants. Growers suggest that experimental plots be used before commercial planting is undertaken.

WORDS OF ADVICE

In this matter, John Adams, M.A., assistant Dominion botanist, gave this sound advice several years ago: "Unless a farmer can convince himself that he can realize larger profits per acre from the growth of drug plants than from the usual farm products, he would be wiser not to attempt it unless as a sort of subsidiary means of supplementing his income. In any case, he can run no risk by devoting a small piece of ground to drug-culture as an experiment for a few years, and he should grow about ten different varieties of those best suited to his locality. In that case over-production and depreciation in price in any one line will not affect him to any extent."

Six Month-Old Digitalis Lanata Plant Is Pictured Above

Two Dreamers and a Man Named "Frank"

By PETER WARING

NEW YORK . . . Back in the high Summer of the year 1921, the whole world argued about just one thing —could a man named Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, fight well enough to retain his title against one Georges Carpentier, a Frenchman, with a film star's smile?

Newspapers printed yards of interviews, expert opinions, and forecasts on what might happen when the two men met on July 2 at a place with the picturesque name of Boyle's Thirty Acres, near Jersey City.

Only one thing was absent—radio.

The reason was a simple one! There was no radio for national broadcasting in America dates from a mediocre blow-by-blow description given from Boyle's Thirty Acres on that Summer's day in July, 1921.

HIGHEST PAID MAN

Two men were concerned—David Sarnoff, now head of the Radio Corporation of America (and, incidentally, one of America's highest paid men), and a radio pioneer named J. Andrew White

These two were dreamers Back in 1916, David Sarnoff, then working with the Marconi Company in a minor executive position, had written a prophetic memorandum on what radio could soon be doing Some day, he said, there would be a kind of box in every home That box, he said, when produced in millions, would not be beyond the reach of the average person with an average income And out of that box would come music, talks, news and even such things as on-the-spot reports of events.

But in 1916 nobody listened Radio then was merely a way of transmitting messages through a system of dots and dashes.

Sarnoff and White went on campaigning from 1916 to 1921. Sarnoff had risen in the ranks of the firm to be the now controlled the department which leased transmitting apparatus to merchant ships of the world Between them, they gathered together a number of radio fanatics and called themselves the National Amateur Wireless Association.

PUBLICITY NEEDED

Together, they decided that what the new industry needed was publicity A time-fight an event which was to be watched eye such as, perhaps, the biggest prize-fight of the century that was to take place in three months' time at Boyle's Thirty Acres over in New Jersey . .

So they decided to broadcast the fight. Sarnoff found a set of 6,500 from a spare civil research fund held by his department, and White went on the job of making all the arrangements

The first man he went to see was a tough promoter named Tex Rickard. After a long argument, Rickard agreed with Rickard. White wore him down to the idea of where he consented to a ringside broadcast

Next came the problem of getting a transmitter and also persuading the 200 members of the National Amateur Wireless Association to lend their home-made sets, operated from amateur stations, the broadcasts to the public in halls and theatres. He then toured the country signing contracts with theatre owners to broadcast the fight—if there was to be a broadcast

White went back to Boyle's Thirty Acres with a satisfactory number of bookings in his wallet—and the task of finding a transmitter

He heard that General Electric had just finished building a special transmitter for the American Navy in Schenectady, New York, and that the Navy had announced that it would not be able to take delivery until the end of July. White went to see General Electric end suggested that they should lend him the set for three weeks

With some trepidation, he told the American Navy would find out that their latest set has been lent to an almost unknown amateur! He was pleasantly surprised at a busing match, the officials let the set go and kicked themselves for giving in so such a reasonable request

IMPOSSIBLE SAID EXPERTS

Now was the time to announce all the arrangements to the press of the world White held a meeting and waited for the the stories to appear Not a single line about the new miracle found its way into print Editors, sceptical of the new invention, called in experts to ask if all this could be a hoax The experts went on record as stating that such a hook-up could never work

Then the theatre owners, through their official association, decided to cancel their contracts. White went and spoke to them but only one theatre owner consented to go ahead His name was Marcus Loew whose corporation now owns one of the biggest cinema chains in America

"I'll stick by you," said Marcus Loew, "I've made my money through being different from my competitors" Loew's example reassured the other owners and a week later they signed again.

But now came more trouble Tex Rickard, who had distributed the whole idea since the beginning, voiced the doubt that any good would ever come of it.

"Everything is going to be all right," said White smoothly. "I've got the finest transmitter in the whole of America"

"Right," said Tex Rickard, "I'll bring Frank down to talk to you He knows a lot about this radio business. It's part of his job"

So "Frank" came down, and in a voice that was like to thrill millions, began to question White about the details of his transmitter White gave him a full description and "Frank" grinned

"There is only one transmitter like that in the whole of America, and that one belongs to the Navy"

"I know" said White, "and I've got it"

"In that case," said "Frank" with a grin, "I hope and pray the Navy never finds out about it"

On July 1, while made his last last Reports came in from all over the country to say that reception had been clear

ALL-NIGHT PREPARATIONS

White stayed up all that night making last minute preparations. Then came The Day, with a buzzing sun in the sky and everything ready Dempsey and Carpentier entered the ring and White, dog tired though he was started on the description of the first fight

That first national broadcast was heard in all the theatres and in some the police had to be called to hold back the crowds. That night's preparing for his first full night's rest drove he first thought of the broadcast idea, J Andrew White sat with Tex Rickard, too tired to relax too tired to sleep, and still with the memories of all the setbacks he had gone through

"If it wasn't for Frank," said Rickard, "I don't think I would have got through with it He told me he liked your check and that's why I went along with you

Yes" said White, "Frank rendered a good sort to me I ought to drop him a line of thanks. What's his full name?"

"Frank Dyson, Dyson Brown" said Rickard He's Assistant Secretary to the Navy down in Washington

The March Of Science

By PAUL F KLLIS
(Staff Photo Science Writer)

NEW YORK A series of balloon flights, one of which attained an altitude of about 17 miles, may give science some of the answers to the mysterious cosmic rays that bombard the earth from far out in space

The balloon experiments conducted in the Denver, Colo area were supervised by Dr Serge Korff, professor of physics, New York University The balloons, he disclosed, carried special instruments that recorded altitude, wind velocity and direction, temperature and the intensity of cosmic rays

It may be some months before Dr. Korff's conclusions are determined

Upon his return to New York, Dr. Korff said that cosmic ray research "will add to the knowledge of nuclear physics and may lead to better weather forecasting

Now that science has split the atom, nuclear physicists are turning their attention to the nucleus of the atom It has been theorized that cosmic rays may be part of the binding force that holds the atom together . . .

When and if atomic energy is used to create power, such plants may be able to develop more fuel than they use In other words, the age-old problem of eating your cake and having it, too, may be solved

That is the opinion of Dr C G Suits, director of research for GE (General Electric Co. The company plans to have an exhibit during the New York City Golden Jubilee exposition, showing man's relationship to the atom

Dr. Suits believes that ships some day may carry their own atomic power plants after some of the technical and economical problems are worked out

The atomic energy commission plans to build one or two experimental atomic power plants—plants that may serve as a guide to the atomic power plants of the future

Suits expects that the atomic energy pile now being constructed at Schenectady will develop enough power to run an experimental power plant can be operated . . .

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society has announced grants totaling $71,600 to five medical institutions for medical research projects into the cause of the disease commonly known as "creeping paralysis"

The society said the largest grant had been awarded to Tulane University to finance a three-year study of possible relationship between virus infection and the disease Other grants went to Massachusetts General Hospital, Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, Los Angeles, New York University, and for the establishment of a second multiple sclerosis research clinic, One already is in operation at the Albany, N.Y., hospital

Tales of Lost Treasures By FRANK KELLEY

WHEREVER prospectors and mining men congregated in bygone days to discuss mining laws, swap yarns of adventures back of beyond and exhibit ore samples taken from some mineral-bearing vein, some references would most likely be made to "lost" lodes and placers, the possibilities of finding which would make the most adventurous men glisten with anticipation and promote wishful-fashioned dreams, for the hunter lucky enough to stumble on a long-sought missing prospect would be well away in the general direction of a long-planned abode on Easy Street, the thoroughfare ever in the mind of the true prospector

At a time when prospectors were seeking metals of economic value along Vancouver Island's rock exteriorness and far back, topics of interest when two or more got together included a pair of tales having more than less top priority. One was the story of a silver-bearing lode from which a lone prospector from south of the border had chipped some glistening samples Staking the ground and hurrying off to the nearest mining recorder's office (Victoria) to record the claims, he could never find the place again, although he spent years in a vain search for it. The other story concerned a little stream from which a "now-belly" veteran was wont to pick up, not pan, a pice of gold any time

This latter was a general story that grew up about the memory of one Todd, who apparently provided simple proof from time to time of possessing some secret source of wealth in the hills, and although hunted for assiduously since the old prospector went west along the trail that eventually comes to an end for everyone, the wallet-washed gold has evidently never been relocated

LODES AND PLACERS

Stories of "lost" lodes and placers, while they stimulate search often without results, possess certain virtues, however They sometimes lead to "finds" of other minerals in "place." Bishop, a Williams, well-known Island prospector of several decades ago, while hunting for the Yankee mine's "lost" silver lode, discovered very extensive "showings" of iron ore near the headwaters of the Gordon River, which flows into the harbor of Port Renfrew

Williams staked a number of claims, the group subsequently being acquired by Coal Country Interests, and considerable development work was carried out. Some day, when steel comes into its own on the west coast of America, the Gordon River iron ore, with other Vancouver Island deposits of this essentially basic mineral, will mean a variety of jobs for British Columbia workers as well as some wealth to its owners, whoever they may be when the happy day arrives, for there are great bluffs of the ore visible in the holdings known as the Bugaboo Group.

THE ELUSIVE MINER

The search for the riches of the nugget-sparkling stream has not, as yet, anyway, resulted in the finding of any important mineral—precious or base; but the story is still an incentive with some at least of the men who prospect in a northwesterly direction from thirty to sixty miles out from Victoria. Some of the efforts of Todd, the character who had the habit of appearing in town at intervals to purchase supplies, always paying for his needs with coarse gold, so it was stated. Followed on a number of occasions, he continued to elude all sundry who sought to discover his secret and the source of his wealth

On the Government-published maps of southwestern Vancouver Island you can look up a spot on the upper San Juan River marked Todd's Crevice, while a mountain in the vicinity has been named for him as well. But Todd's Crevice is evidently not the spot where the old prospector got his gold, although other prospectors apparently considered it a likely place to investigate, judging from the number of rusty shovels and picks the writer saw in its vicinity while on a hike across country from Shawnigan Lake to the Nitinat Inlet before the Great War started

THE SAN JUAN STORY

Todd was a very secretive. From stories old-timers have told me, that seems to be fact. There is another story of the same San Juan River valley although a bit different from the usual pattern of hard-to-find "lost" sources of treasure, also in the past anyway, played its part in adding zest to the search after gold in the district. The district, by the way, possessed all the ear-marks of a gold-producing area said from which substantial values have been recovered—although from Lenora River, some of a real stampede in the last century. This mysterious story as bestowed one in which gold nuggets figure prominently, certainly borders on the romantic.

Told in a published narrative of a Boston trading vessel that had put into San Juan Harbor for the purpose of barter in the early years of the Nineteenth Century, the book related how some of the crew of the craft were attracted to the trading of a number of pebbles with White the children in one of the houses of the Nitinat Village were playing. These pebbles proved to be nuggets of pure gold and the story that rewarded, through an interpreter, the questioning of captain and his men was something as follows.

Arriving by water from the east coast of the Island a long time previously a marauding band of Cowichan tribes—men had attacked the Nitinat village Among the captives taken away was a young Nitinat girl. In her place of captivity at Cowichan, she had long yearned for her home on the west coast, and when an opportunity of possible escape chanced she took advantage of it.

Following the water grade to Cowichan Lake, she managed to reach the headwaters of the San Juan River, at no great distance away, and keeping well clear of the stream, after meeting with some adventures, finally reached the village of her people somewhere along the way, on the bottom of a pool at which she had stopped to wash, the coloring of a number of stones caught her fancy and she had gathered a handful "because they were pretty."

Todd may have chanced on that pool and cleaned up its viable treasures to be nuggets of pure gold and the story that rewarded, through an interpreter, the questioning of captain and his men was something as follows.

They Plotted to Steal Lincoln

By PETER DAYS

JUST eighty years ago, when the United States was in the midst of a prodigious internal election, a band of criminals stamped one of the most outrageous crimes in history. It is nearly forgotten today, yet these things of an earlier era plainly show how close it came to the body of Abraham Lincoln. Though the very memory shocks, they planned to hide the corpse among a range of lonely sandunes on the shores of Lake Michigan, claiming as ransom $250,000 and a convict's freedom.

Big Jim Kennedy was leader of one of the cleverest bands of counterfeiters in the United States He had waned rich on home-made dollar bills, coolly defying detection and arrest again and again. When Ben Boyd, the master engraver who manufactured the counterfeit greenbacks for Jim, was caught, redbanded by secret service men and sentenced to ten years in prison, Big Jim planned to steal the body of Abraham Lincoln and trade it on his own terms for Boyd's freedom.

"We can't even be prosecuted," laughed Big Jim, "for the State of Illinois hasn't a law making it a crime to steal a body."

"What about sacrilege?" nervously asked one of his henchmen, a man named Swegles.

"Just a word," asserted Big Jim. "Nothing more! Nothing about it in the State law books

He schemed that the wind blowing on the wind-chimes would scare all traces of rebutal As soon as Lincoln was missed from his tomb the entire nation would be in uproar on sacrilege. Then would be time to approach the Government and drive a hard bargain. Once the stolen body had evolved in stealing the body, there would be no punishment

"How would they know you're telling the truth?" asked Swegles "How will they know you're the actual thief?"

"Simple," he shouted out, loud. Before leaving Chicago on his sorte mission he bought a London newspaper, tore a piece out of it, and kept it in his pocket. He had of Lincoln that stood in the bar his usually made his headquarters.

"Well leave the torn piece in the tomb," he explained. "Then we'll produce the rest of the page, and they'll see the pieces fit."

"True," grumbled Swegles. "But I don't like it. I don't like it at all. It can't be right to disturb Lincoln."

Everything seemed in their favor when they arrived in Springfield. The first election results were beginning to filter through. All the town was agog with excitement as bedecked parties of voters paraded the streets with torches and lanterns, singing and shouting.

Lincoln lay buried in the heart of the deserted woods two miles away. Smiling in confidence of his security, Big Jim led through the pandemonium to the iron door and stole into the musty vault.

The wooden coffin was prised half out when Swegles jumped in the doorway and smilingly struck a match to light his cigar. The match fell into a sudden rub of men swept past him. The solitary lantern light went out. Men cursed and struggled in the darkness

Then revolver shots rang out, another and another, until the detectives who had been waiting in the woods in their stockinged feet realized that they were taking pot shots at the knocker

The conspirators had escaped, but Abraham Lincoln was saved. It took ten days before the gangsters were rounded up in Chicago and jailed—all save Swegles, who had turned informer.

Jim had been right in declaring he could steal Abraham Lincoln without punishment. But he went to jail for conspiring to coin a million worth sixty dollars!"

National Housing

A Series of Questions and Answers on Home Financing and Construction

Q. On what basis are National Housing Act loans repayable?

A. National Housing Act loans are repayable monthly, each payment to include principal and interest and one-twelfth of the estimated annual municipal and school taxes. It might be added that while the date for the commencement of repayment of principal is specified in the mortgage, payment of interest and taxes will start at a time this too soon after the property has been completed or occupied. And here is another point to bear in mind. Unless accrued taxes are paid in cash, tax payments for the first year may be relatively heavy.

Q. Is there any general information on the National Housing Act available in book form?

A. Yes. It is called "N.H.A. Loans for Homes" and copies may be obtained at any office of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation. Other booklets in the series include "Farm Housing Loans," "Integrated Housing Plan" and "Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation—An Outline of Its Purpose and Functions."

Q. I understand that under certain circumstances it is possible to get a larger loan than that usually granted under the National Housing Act. Can you tell me what those circumstances are?

A. Loans to finance the construction of houses built: (a) under the Integrated Housing Plan, (b) by builders for sale at a price approved in advance by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, or (c) by prospective home-owners whose contract price is satisfactory to the corporation—are based on the following per centages of lending: 95 per cent of the first $6,000, 85 per cent of the next $3,000 and 70 percent of the balance. In computing loans for the purchase of a house without a fixed sale price, the figure $9,000 is subdivided for $6,000.

Q. I am interested in investing some money in an apartment house. Does the Government offer any incentives to stimulate this type of residential building?

A. Yes, there are four such incentives. Under certain circumstances, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation may insure the builder-owner of a rental housing project against loss of rentals, approve depreciation at double the normal rates for a period of ten years when applied to projects comprising four or more family dwelling units and which meet certain other requirements, permit a longer period for repayment under the National Housing Act for loans on approved types of rental housing, and recommend priorities for materials to assist in the construction of approved rental housing.

Q. What is the first step I should take in applying for a loan under the National Housing Act?

A. Your first step is to see or write to the nearest representative of an approved lending institution (mortgage or insurance company) or to the branch office of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation in this city. You will be given copies of a questionnaire form which must be filled out in triplicate and forwarded to one of the lending institutions in this district. If your project seems satisfactory, you will receive the necessary application form which—together with details of the lot on which you propose to build, plans and specifications for the house and an estimate of the cost of the completed project—must also be submitted to the lending institution.

Tree Fruits Spoil When Left To Fully Ripen on Orchards

THE best of fruits may be spoiled by incorrect storage or faulty distribution. Fruit is in storage immediately it is picked or harvested, and at that time too it starts a phase of distribution—from tree to consumer, says J. E. Britton, Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, B.C.

It is commonly recognised that fresh fruits continue life processes after harvest, transforming starch into sugar, absorbing oxygen, and giving off carbon dioxide gas. The composition of the fruit is therefore in a state of continual change until a final breakdown of the tissue occurs. When fruit reaches a state of full growth it is said to be mature and then it ripens. Many fruits, such as pears, may be spoiled if allowed to ripen on the tree. Others, like cherries and prunes, undergo ripening as maturity is reached and are ready for eating when harvested. Correct maturity and normal ripening are therefore essential to the best quality in these products and quality in fruit can only be established in the orchard.

RETAIN QUALITY

Conditions of storage during and throughout distribution are then responsible in maintaining that quality and protecting the condition of the fruit essential to successful marketing. The storage life of fruit is the period of time between the time of harvest until the fruit is used, or until it reaches breakdown and decay. Each variety has a definite storage life which may be hastened by high temperatures or retarded and extended by refrigeration.

Fruit storage, therefore, means more than a space of time in a cold storage building; it means every face of the storage-life of the fruit from harvest to consumption. It is in storage during this time, regardless of where it is kept, and its storage life is being spent either for good or for ill. At the same time, it enters distribution and starts on its journey to the consumer because consumption is the end and purpose of production. In the whole chain of events in the production and sale of fresh fruits, careful storage during consumption is of great importance to the delivery of a satisfactory product.

Making Brussels Sprouts Sprout

It is not difficult to grow Brussels sprouts in the garden, although many gardeners shy away from them.

The enemies and insect pests to which sprouts are subject are the same as those of the Fall crops of other cabbage-like plants.

Among the insect pests to be guarded against is the harlequin bug. This bug is about three-eighths of an inch long, mottled with red, black, orange or yellow, hence its name—harlequin.

To control this pest spray with rotenone, using a neutral soap in the mixture in order to make the spray stick to the plant foliage.

To stimulate the plants to grow sprouts instead of going all to leaf, firm the soil tightly around the stems. Well firmed soil encourages the formation of sound sprouts, while loose soil and loosely placed plants result in just the opposite effect.

As the sprouts are removed as the season progresses, keep breaking off the lower leaves to force all the strength of the plant into the very topmost sprouts, which will continue to develop higher up on the main stalks.

The "buds" are edible when they are from one to two inches in diameter. The first picking may not be as large as you had hoped for, but as the later sprouts come along you will find they have more choice.

A large part of the growth of Brussels sprouts is made during cooler (early, cool) Fall days. They are at their best after the first light frost.

Personal Problem

You can't afford simply to leave such a personal thing as your health to chance. Canada's public health authorities are on guard and are maintaining the highest standards of health protection in the world. But, they warn, in the long run health demands more than safety of food and water or the elimination of disease through research and preventive measures. It calls for action on the part of every citizen, to preserve fitness and to plan and stick to healthful living routines.

Aerial Spray For Orchard

Thousands of dollars are expected to be saved annually by Canadian fruit growers through use of a newly-developed hormone aerial spray which prevents premature dropping of apples during harvest.

Applied to orchards by plane when the fruit first begins to drop in early Fall, the new product is known as airplane "Parmone" and consists of a special formulation of naphthalene acetic acid. This hormone delays the growth of a layer of cell between the fruit and the twig on the branch which causes the fruit to fall.

The chemical is able to prolong the period ripened apples remain on trees by at least two weeks. It was learned from experiments conducted last Fall by the agricultural division of Canadian Industries Limited, who introduced the new spray in Canada this year. The extra time gained enables growers to pick their apples before wind, rain and natural growth induced loss to the ripe ground.

While ground spraying is effective, it takes much longer and there is danger of considerable loss through fruit being shaken down by men and equipment. Aerial spraying takes little time which makes it more practical, it is claimed.

Two gallons of the chemical product in three gallons of water applied at the rate of five gallons per acre is the recommended solution for spraying by plane.

Many Uses for Canada Produces in Quantity World's Oils

RATIONING of butter and shortages of lard, shortening, soap, paints, varnishes, and lubricating oils in Canada during the war, showed the importance of oils and fats in international trade.

The world production of oils and fats of all kinds in the years just before the war amounted on the average to between 24 and 25 million tons a year, and of the dollar equivalent, three-fifths came from oilseed crops, and two-fifths came from animal fats or meat. This, according to the 1948 Summary of Vegetable Oils and Oilseeds, prepared by the Commonwealth Economic Committee, shows the estimated world production was about 30 per cent less than the pre-war average. In 1941 the total quantity of oils and fats which entered world trade fell by more than 50 per cent, from about 6 50 million tons to 3.15 million tons.

VEGETABLE OILS

When shortages of vegetable oils Canadians are inclined to picture the oil crops grown in Canada—flax, soybeans, rape and sunflower. Actually there are 30 different trees or crops which are used for the production of fatty oils—as distinct from volatile or essential oils, which are mainly of vegetable origin also—and a much larger number are known to contain oil which has not been extracted commercially. The oils which are important in international trade and which account for about 90 per cent of the total are coconut oil, palm and palm kernel oil, groundnut (peanut) linseed (flax), soybean, and cotton seed oil. Rapeseed is one of the most extensively grown oilseed crops, and during the war assumed importance as a substitute for the scarce castor oil as a lubricant. The quantity entering international trade is small. The most important of the other oil crops are olive oil, sunflower seed oil and sesame, all of which are mainly consumed domestically, and castor, tung and perilla oil.

ANIMAL FATS AND LARD

By far the most important of the animal fats are butter and lard. Whale oil is the chief marketable oil and its output has risen notably with the development of whaling in the Antarctic.

Modern refining processes have made available for edible purposes many oils which previously were considered only suitable for industrial and non-edible purposes. Even so, some oils are more generally used than others for particular purposes. Thus, for the manufacture of margarine the most important vegetable oils are usually coconut, palm kernel, palm, groundnut, cottonseed and soybean. Coconut, palm, and palm kernel oils are also widely used for soap making. For shortening, cottonseed oil predominates, but soybean oil and groundnut oil have been used more extensively in recent years. Drying oils are required in the manufacture of paints and varnishes, and for these linseed oil is most generally used, with soybean, tung and perilla oils as substitutes. Castor and rapeseed oils are used largely as lubricants.

Kitchen Herbs For Winter

In green or dried form, herbs from your garden can be moved indoors for Winter use. The dried seeds also can be stored for kitchen use.

If you wish to use herbs in dried form do as grandmother did and hang bunches of them in a dry attic or storage room. There should be enough heat in the attic or storage room allow to dry out the herb plants.

If you wish to have the green leaves for Winter use, transplant the herbs from the garden into flower pots.

Parsley, sweet basil, sweet marjoram and chives can be potted quite successfully and kept growing in the house all Winter. Powdered dried herbs are also each day.

Upon digging up a clump of herbs, any long straggling roots should be cut off, rather then to attempt to curl them under in the bottom of the flower pot.

Seeds of caraway, cummin, dill, fennel, coriander, bene and anise are used more than are the stems and leaves. After harvesting the seeds of any herb be sure they are well cured before putting away in dark jars and bottles.

If you plan to dry just the leaves of your favorite herbs, remember that the young ones at the tip of the stems have more flavor than the larger, older leaves. Cut stems 6 or 8 inches from the tip. As soon as the leaves are thoroughly dry, separate them from the stems and pack in tight containers.

Glass jars for storing dried herb leaves should be painted black, wrapped in dark paper or stored in a dark place to keep the color of the herbs from fading.

Preparing Poultry Houses

FROM the standpoint of disease control, it is important that the laying house be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected before moving pullets into it in the Fall, says W. J Cuibbert, Dominion Experimental Station, Prince George, B.C. Droppings, litter, and other material should be removed with shovel and scraper and the ceilings, walls and floor swept with a stiff broom. It is then desirable to scrub the floor thoroughly so that the remaining dirt may be scrubbed off. This procedure should be followed by scrubbing walls, floors and fixtures with a hot lye solution made by dissolving one pound of lye in 2 gallons of water. When this is dry, it is advisable to apply a reliable disinfectant, such as lye in two or three per cent solution, allowing time for the proportion of six ounces to each gallon of water, or one of the many commercial preparations available on the market.

The cleaning and disinfecting of the poultry house must be done thoroughly, with great care taken not to overlook the cracks and corners If neglected, these may provide excellent hiding places for disease germs and mites.

Round poles are not altogether desirable as roosts because they have a tendency to check on drying and thus make it more difficult to clean Lengths of 2x4 inch scantling, rounded on the upper edges, are therefore preferable. These should be placed about 10 inches from the rear wall of the building and about 14 inches apart. About eight or nine inches of roosting space should be allowed for each bird.

One nest should be provided for every five or six hens, and these should be cleaned and disinfected Plenty of good litter, such as short cut straw, will help keep nests and floors clean.

Time to Order Tulip Bulbs

Tulips should have their place in every garden, as they always contribute color and are not dependable Seldom does a bulb fail to produce a flower, if properly planted in well-drained soil.

Tulips should not be planted until later but now, when the Fall planting catalogs are arriving, is the time to order them.

You may see listed a "parrot" colored tulip. This unusual result happens when the coloring matter of a "self-color" tulip has become split up into colored and blotches. Such a tulip is called "broken." When the therein tulips are "breaks" into these variations, they are called "Rembrandt" tulips They are very decorative but should be planted by themselves or in combination with the "Bizarres" and others which are the broken forms of the Breeder tulips.

Regardless of what type or class of tulip may be planted, the object to consider is procuring good, sound, disease-free bulbs from a reputable dealer With such a start, success is fairly certain because almost any good garden soil is suitable for their culture

A rich, well-drained sandy loam is ideal and in this type of soil the bulbs should be planted about five inches deep, although in a sandy soil, six inches is better, and in a heavy soil, four inches is plenty.

When planting the bulbs individually, the individual holes can be dug with a hand trowel, making sure that no air pockets are left beneath the bulbs. It may be wise to put a small handful of sand in the bottom of the hole and set the bulb firmly upon it This sand also assists drainage.

While everyone knows that vine-ripened tomatoes are far superior to those which have been picked green and allowed to ripen, still another reward for growing your own tomatoes is that fully ripe ones are about twice as high in Vitamin C as those picked while still green.

Thin late beets Eggplants and peppers should be made to make way for new fruits Start blanching cauliflower by pulling the leaves over the top and tying with string Prune old raspberry canes

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Pot-grown strawberries can be set out now with assurance of their bearing fruit next season.

Avocado Makes Novelty Plant

By DEAN HALLIDAY

FEW people realize when they prepare an avocado for a salad that the large pit or seed which is discarded can be made to produce a novelty plant. There are two ways of propagating it. To a pot set out in a glass jar partly filled with water.

If the seed is to be planted in a pot, first soak it in warm water for one or five days, then wash the film off gently and plant the seed in a flower pot filled with light soil. Make sure that the smaller end of the seed is up, as shown in the accompanying Garden-Graph.

Leave the pot in the sun for several weeks, water it frequently and the plant will grow rapidly The leaves, when they appear, will be a bright glossy green.

An avocado pear tree also can be grown by suspending the seed in a glass jar of water. First stick three toothpicks in the broad base of the seed to support it above the glass jar, as illustrated.

Keep the jar filled with water so it just touches the seed In a few weeks slender white roots will start down into the water. Meanwhile the leaves will have spilt at the top and from between the two halves will sprout a stem with leaf buds and leaves, as illustrated

When the top and roots are fairly well developed, start adding soil to the water. Keep adding soil gradually until the plant is actually growing in thick mud

From then on it can be transplanted into a flower pot filled with a rich soil and handled like any house plant. It can be set out of doors in a sheltered spot for the Summer but must be brought indoors again before the first frost.

Hint for the Amateur

Squashes should be gathered before danger of a killing frost flaws even the small, immature squashes for they can be used after the supply of large ones has been exhausted, since as a rule their keeping qualities are good.

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Parsnips, salsify and horse radish can be left in the ground all Winter. If covered over with straw to prevent the soil from freezing, the roots can be dug as needed.

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Only sound and high quality vegetables are worth storing. Bruised or diseased vegetables are almost certain to cause trouble if they are stored with sound produce for any length of time.

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The wise gardener will have some hay or straw handy ready for the first early frost, since the usefulness of many plants such as Swiss chard and lettuce will continue if a protective mulch is thrown over the plants on frosty nights.

Two-Story Victorian Home

—Photo and Plan by "Home Building in Canada."

PLAN NO. 5

Vertical boards and battens painted chocolate brown, topped by white clapboards, form an interesting contrast in color and line. The Colonial exterior is matched by an interior which is equally interesting. There are plenty floors throughout. Among the unusual features of this house are the spacious glass-in porch, the playroom and the workshop. Of course the living-room in this house would be difficult to equal anywhere! This home was built in Victoria.

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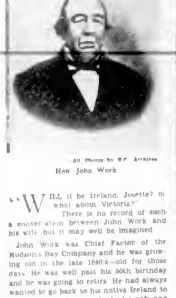
Old Homes and Families

By J. K. NESBITT



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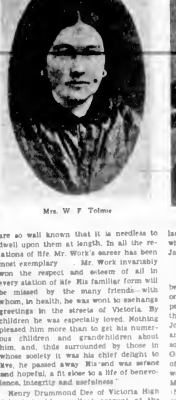
Hon. John Work

Mrs. John Work

Susette Work, Mrs. John Work, David Work



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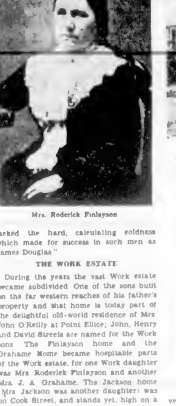

Mrs. Roderick Finlayson

Colonist Photo

This May Be the Original Work Home, Now on Vancouver Street

Hillside Farm of the John Work Family

"WILL it be Ireland, Josette? Or what about Victoria?"

There is no record of such a conversation between John Work and his wife but it may well be imagined.

John Work was Chief Factor of the Hudson's Bay Company and he was growing out in the late 1840's—old for those days. He was well past his 50th birthday and he was going to retire. He had always wanted to go back to his native Ireland to live in leisure—but now he had a wife and 11 children and there would be grandchildren he hoped and he knew he would only be happy when they were about him.

Josette no doubt took a poor view of Ireland. She was western to the very core for she was born in Washington Territory and Work must have realized his children were part of the North American scene. Because he was a man of vision he doubtless saw the future of this sonsat and it was then he knew the lives of his children and their children would best be spent in the new world—for had he himself not forsaken the old?

SELECTED VICTORIA

And so, at Fort Simpson, Work and his wife Josette, talking over the retirement to come, decided on Victoria. He first sent his older children here for education, at the school of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Staines in the Fort and one day in August of 1849 four of them—Catherine, Cecelia, Henry and David—were baptised together by Mr. Staines.

By the early fifties the family had reached Victoria. Work had friends here; there was so much space no one owned that he could help himself to all the property he wanted. The Hudson's Bay Company was practically lord and master of all southern Vancouver Island and so was a servant as John Work could have all the acres he wanted.

He chose plenty—600—far from the fort, in the area that is today Hillside, over to the waters of the Gorge by Point Ellice and beyond Cook Street, north to Finlayson Avenue, south to the city side of King's Road. He put up a fine home and there he lived in happiness, his life's work done, his sunset years made contant by so large a family.

WORK HOMESTEAD

It is said the Work home is today on Vancouver Street, near King's Road. This house, however, bears little resemblance to pictures of the original Work homestead which shows dormer windows on the second floor. The original home, too, seems to have been built of logs, while the Vancouver Street house is California redwood. This change, of course could have taken place in later years. The Vancouver Street house is a big, roomy cottage, with high ceilings, a gracefully curved porch roof, floor boards four inches across, tiny fireplaces and large windows. It is today sound and solid and while there is no proof it is this first Work home, descendants of this notable pioneer believe it is.

Work—originally the name was Wark—had had an adventurous career in North America. He joined Hudson's Bay Company service in 1814 and until 1822 he was stationed east of the Rockies. In '22 he was sent to Fort Colville in Washington Territory to establish a farm for the company. Ever west John Work moved. In 1835 he was in charge of H.B.C. business at Fort Simpson and there he remained until 1849. He had married, in Colville, Josette Legace and she was to him through the years a fine loyal mate, and a splendid mother to her large family. Glimpses of the Work domestic life are contained in the interesting letters. Mr. Work wrote to his great and good friend, Edward Ermatinger, whom he called "my dear Ned."—letters today in the Provincial Archives. From Fort Simpson in 1841 Work wrote: "The little wife and I get on very well. She is to me an affectionate partner—we enjoy as great a share of conjugal happiness as generally falls to the lot of married people."

It was in this letter came first intimation Work considered he was growing old. He was then 50. He wrote: "I am going down the hill of life, my friend, faster than I could wish, but to old age the toughest must yield, and when we find matters can't be mended it is best to submit patiently with a good grace."

ALL IN MODERATION

Letter writing in those days was an art and a pleasure and John Work understood both. In one letter to Ermatinger he said: "As you say—you never were intemperate I can say the same. You witnessed in the happy days when we used to meet together the greatest extent of my dissipation. I don't know when, I have been affected with liquor. I am sure were I to indulge freely in either eating or drinking I would not live six months. Still, if ever I have the happiness of seeing you I hope we shall have the pleasure of draining a bottle of wine together. Here I keep up the old plan, when we have strangers, bending a glass of wine at dinner, we have a glass of brandy in the evening. When we have not strangers, a glass or two of wine on Sunday is all we indulge in. I am ashamed of the extent of my smoking."

AT HILLSIDE FARM

As soon as Work took up residence at Hillside he proceeded to cultivate the ground and the first newspaper indication that he was a farmer came in The Gazette of October 22, 1858. "Some pumpkins—we yesterday were shown a couple of pumpkins raised on the farm of Mr. John Work a mile and a half from Victoria, which in consequence of their enormous size and weight are worthy of special note. The largest one weights 108 and the other 66 pounds. They may be seen at Mr. Finlayson's office."

There must have been happy days at Hillside Farm and Mr. Work was spared to enjoy them at least 10 years. Several of his eight pretty daughters were married. Newspapers of that day carried nothing but the bare announcements, but we may well imagine the partying and the dancing that took place, and the mistletoe at Christmas and the picnics in the fields in Summer. Once there was a double wedding. The Colonist, Feb. 7, 1861: "At St. John's Church—by the Rev. R. J. Dundas, Edward H. Jackson, Esq., to Margaret, fourth daughter, and Charles W. Wallace, Jr., Esq., to Kate, sixth daughter of the Hon. John Work, Chief Factor, Hudson's Bay Company." Less than a year before was this wedding: "On September 5th, 1860: at Hillside Farm, by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, Mr. James Allan Grahame to Miss Mary Work . . ."

ON GETTING OLDER

Work's letters to Ermatinger form part of, even such a brief account of his fascinating life as this. In 1853 he wrote from his Hillside home: "We are getting old, my friend, and our old associates dropping off fast. Undoubtedly our turn may soon come to give in the great account. God in His Mercy grant that we may . . . be prepared for the event when it shall be God's blessed will to bring it about . . . Myself and family are well. I nearly lost my youngest child by an attack of scarlet fever, but she is now recovered. During last season I have enjoyed better health than for years back, but I am going down the hill fast nevertheless. The good wife wears well and is still strong and vigorous."

Since I last wrote our two married daughters have each had another child."

August 8, 1858: Work to Ermatinger: . . . a domestic affliction—the death of my second . . . Henry was 13 years of age. He died of a rapid consumption. He is the first one of eleven children that it has been God's will to deprive us of. This bereavement was a heavy stroke to us all, but especially to the poor Mother, who cannot get over it and, I fear, is injuring her health by grief. The rest of the family, thank God, are all well. As to myself, I enjoy as good health and as hale and hearty as can be reasonably expected at my advanced years over three score—both my eyesight and hearing are impaired. Still I should enjoy pretty well and hope to continue so for some years yet."

Despite his gloom about his health, Work lived to a tremendous age for his time. He was in his 70th year when he died. The Colonist of December 30, 1862, giving due notice to the township: "Very ill—we were pained to learn last night that Hon. John Work, member of the Legislative Council and Chief Factor of the Hudson's Bay Company was at the point of death."

TRIBUTE TO SERVICE

Two days later John Work died and The Colonist announced: "The many virtues he displayed in the exercise of his office, and the great and good service he rendered to the country, are well known that it is needless to dwell upon them at length. In all the relations of life Mr. Work's career has been most exemplary . . . Mr. Work invariably won the respect and esteem of all in every station of life. His familiar form will be missed by the many friends—with whom, in health, he was wont to exchange greetings in the streets of Victoria. By children he was especially loved. Nothing pleased him more than to get his numerous children and grandchildren about him, and, thus surrounded by those in whose society it was his chief delight, to live, he passed away. His end was serene and hopeful, a fit close to a life of benevolence, integrity and usefulness."

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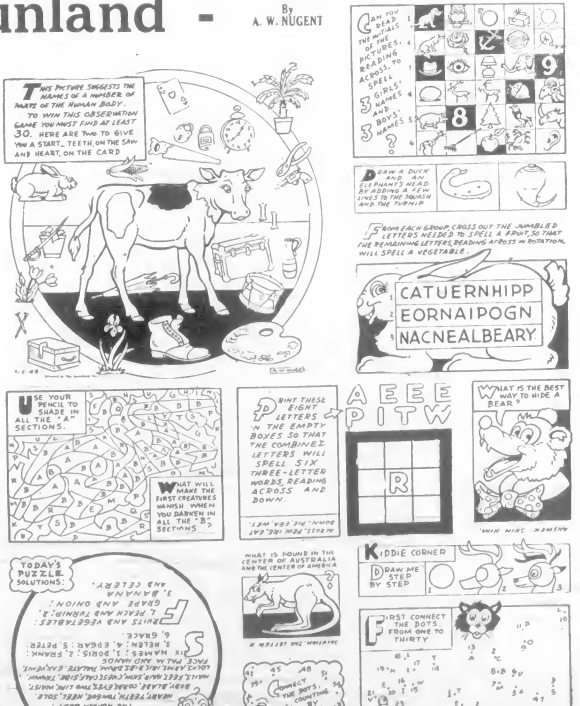
THE WORK ESTATE

During the years the vast Work estate became subdivided. One of the sons built on the far western reaches of his father's property and that home is today part of the delightful old-world residence of Mrs. John O'Reilly at Point Ellice; John, Henry and David Burrels are named for the Work sons. The Finlayson home and the Grahame Home became hospitable parts of the Work estate, for one Work daughter was Mrs. Roderick Finlayson and another Mrs. J. A. Grahame. The Jackson home (Mrs. Jackson was another daughter) was on Cook Street, and stands yet, high on a hill looking to Rocky Mountains. Work lived on in the old farmhouse until she was 87, in 1898 when she died, and The Colonist said of her: "Mrs. Work was of a most kindly and helpful nature and many times gave a helping hand to the earlier settlers. She married Mr. Work in the early forties and made many trips with him far into Alaska and south to California. She did a great deal towards civilizing the Indians and when her husband was placed in charge of the post at Fort Simpson she helped very materially to put a stop to the barbarous system of slavery formerly practiced by the tribes. Mrs. Work also devoted a great deal of time towards teaching the Indian women useful things, such as sewing and cooking."

What a family this was—and today, a century after John and Josette Work decided to come to Victoria to retire their descendants by the score are among Victoria's leading citizens. It seemed that Providence supplied our early families with many daughters, to become the good wives in their turn of other pioneers and the mothers of many children. It is interesting today to look at a list of the eight daughters of Hon. and Mrs. John Work and place them in their various niches in the life of the west. Jane (Mrs. W. F. Tolmie); Sarah (Mrs. Roderick Finlayson); Letitia (Mrs. Edward Huggins); Margaret (Mrs. Edward H. Jackson); Mary (Mrs. James Allan Grahame); Catherine (Mrs. Charles W. Wallace); Cecelia (Mrs. Charles Septimus Jones); Susette (the first Mrs. E. C. Prior).

Funland

By A. W. NUGENT



Devotion

A Short Story
By CECIL W. DORITY

WHAT'S a body ever get for rubbin' their daylights out on a washboard, I'd like to Know. Look at them clothes now. Whyn't you change once'n a while afore they're plumb rotten? My sayin, I'd only had grandma's 'nuff when I was a girl to a said no. Love ... bel!"

... top of dirty suds, pushed back the straggling gray hair from her forehead with the back of her hand, readjusted her glasses and squinted through the steam at her husband who stood meekly before her calmly chewing his cud. His blue eyes twinkled and a faint smile lifted the corner of his mouth. He knew her.

"See anything of Abner?" she questioned, poking with a vengeance at the green wood in the dying fire.

"No Ma. I'd ain't due till—"

"Ain't due? Merry me, it's due in the mornin' and you better believe he'll be here to get it. If you don't hend him off tonight ... Well? ... Are you dumb? What you going to do about it? Pay him somethin', or just sneak over to the poorhouse with our heads a hangin', and us way past sixty? How much of the hog money you got left?"

"Little better'n thirty dollars. You see I had to—"

"Been givin' some more to that worthless boy of yours, huh?"

"Now, Ma, I thought you knowed me bettern that."

"Well, you've been foolish about him all his life, an' I didn't know. Tell you one thing, though, he don't get another red penny out of me, if he is my son. Thoughtless little scamp, galvanizin' trouble with his dude clothes on and me workin' like I do."

"That's justly the way I look at it, Ma," David agreed with all meekness.

"David, you can't fool me. Willie's just like you made him, pampered and foolish with him from the time he was big 'nuff to tag after you clear up to now, and him past twenty. You're setters and dreamers, the two of you. What'll he ever know about writin' for story books? Fiddlesticks!

"And now he's stealin' Nancy Gobie out a' nights and then skyhookin' 'round in his pushin-jamma just waitin' for the chance to make trouble. Take more'n your soft talk to quiet things down. And Abner with a mortgage ready to clamp down on us any minute. Look at the difference in the two boys; his boy, Nathaniel, and ours. Nathaniel with a good job down in the village, his own room and eatin' in restaurants.

"Well, you better be thinkin' up somethin' right smart to say to Abner afore he pops in on us 'cause he won't give us—

"Elvira, come's get your pa a bite of somethin'. David, go break up some dry boards to coax this fire along."

"My land, Elvira," Ma mumbled as David departed, "most wished your pa'd go after wood some time and forget to come back. Sakes alive, I musta been awful green forty-fifty year back. Well, green or not green, I could've had Abner Gobie one time just by crookin' m' finger, and look what he's worth now. My, how times change!

"David, you go in the bedroom and change your shirt. Put on one of them new ones you'll find in the top bureau drawer. Clean yourself up a mite, then go over and see Abner and head him off.

"Thank you, Ma. You don't never forget, do you?" David said as he came from the bedroom, poking the tail of his new shirt into the top of his trousers. "Didn't a pose you'd remember my birthday. Most forgot it m'self."

"Birthday nothin'. Never thought about it. I'll leave you know that after I'm present. That's just another clean shirt."

"Thank you, anyhow." David winked slyly at his daughter Elvira, who had fastened a sober face. Experience had taught her that Ma seldom let pass anything that any smiles changed between father and daughter.

Even with Ma's continual urging it was late afternoon before David finally departed. He did not follow the main highway that lay in front of the Varney home, but chose the cross-country route through neighboring fields. He crossed the barn lot, hesitated momentarily at the gate, slipped the then opened it and passed within, but only for a moment. He climbed the fence to the lower meadow, crossed it, thence through the unfirbered forty, following the winding path. He sang as he walked along. A song of his own creation, but tuneless. David loved the world and all that was in it. Its appearances to the contrary.

Finally he arrived at the gate opening into Gobie's corral which surrounded the barn and several sheds. The rear of the barn was before him, one hundred feet, perhaps. A space between the barn and the corral fence was little used except as a dumping ground for odds and ends: bits of old lumber, old wagon wheels and discarded machinery. The whole scattered about in general disarray.

Opening the gate he went forward, bearing slightly to the left to be in line with the Gobie residence.

He would have crossed the barn lot giving little thought to his surroundings, had not a slight noise and a moving shape the rear of the barn attracted his attention. He stopped when the noise was repeated. In another moment a bantam cock his feet, hurriedly rounded the corner of the barn and ran toward the main road. Because of the distance approaching darkness recognition was impossible.

David stood for a moment, then continued on his way. Coming to the steps, he observed that the front door stood ajar. He started to rap, but hearing a car start on the highway in front, he lowered his hand, stood listening. He recognized the sound immediately from its peculiar exhaust. It was the car of his son William.

Just what was his son doing behind Gobie's barn, he wondered? It worried him.

He approached the door. Within, all was darkness. He rapped, then stood waiting. After a reasonable time he rapped again, but no sound from within indicated he had been heard. A thread of light could be seen beneath a door on the opposite side of the room. That would be the kitchen, he concluded. So, stepping softly—he was embarrassed rather than stealth—he approached. The door opened abruptly and Abner Gobie stood before him, holding a lighted lamp.

"Oh, that's you, David. Thought I heard a rap." He laughed. "Been lookin' for some and pay off everything I have, never locking the doors. Come in. We'll go back and set in the kitchen."

They talked of crops, of general farming and of the local happenings. Finally David said:

"That paper, Abner. I'd due tomorrow, so I thought I'd come over and take it up."

"Oh, yes, David. M-e s-e-e, that would be five hundred thirty, with the interest. Right?"

"That's right."

"Well, well! Some of the old time bills, eh?" Abner mused, as the money was being counted out. "Have some of them myself. Look odd now, don't they?"

David returned home in sober meditation. Just what his son was doing about the Gobie stable he could not determine.

Mother and son sat beside the kitchen table when David arrived. He looked at the boy searchingly as if to read his thoughts, but asked no questions. Finally they all retired. David lay awake thinking—perhaps an hour, perhaps. Then he heard a rap, below at the front door. Immediately the tapping was repeated as if the caller was in great hurry. Hastily dressing, David quietly went down and opened the door. It was Abner.

"Come outside, David. I want to talk to you." He gently closed the door.

"Where did you get the money you paid me tonight?" Abner asked without preliminary. "Where? Why—I just been saving it for you. Dollar here and there, you know."

"Yes? David, I had five hundred in currency in my desk in front, mortgage about half in old bills. It was there just before dark. After you left I went in to put away some papers. The desk was locked, I locked, the money gone, tin box and all. When you came down to the room before I opened the door, David?"

"Doting?" questioned David in bewilderment. "Why—why—"

"I can't cancel the mortgage as things stand now. You'll have to pay mo tomorrow with your own money, or lose your farm." He turned and would have departed, but David halted him—

"Give me one month to raise it, Abner, with nothing said?"

Abner hesitated. "Very well, I'll give you a month. Meanwhile I'll say nothing." Without further speech he walked away. David stood half dazed. Then, with the wind, too shocked to move, then finally opened the door and returned to his room. Ma was snoring. Her worries, real or imaginary, were forgotten. But not so David. He lay awake the greater part of the night.

"It was Willie." The thought kept crashing through his brain. "Willie." It saw him run to the road and heard his car start. I can't mistake that sound."

Not until it was getting in the east did David decide just what he would do. He would confess all and take the consequences it would mean to his son Willie go to jail. Of course Ma would haul him over the coals, he realized that; but then Ma would stay with him, too. But was she staying kind. He even smiled at the remembrance of her demonstration of that fact on other occasions of lesser importance. Yes, when Ma's for you, she's for you, and to h— with the rest of the world.

But Ma was not asleep when Abner called. She heard his first rap. As David descended the stairs she cautiously arose, opened the window and listened to the entire conversation. She heard the confession from David's own lips. For the moment she thought her heart had stopped beating. "My David," she whimpered, "and it's true, for I heard him confess. But it's all right Davy boy, you wanted to save a home for me, and I understand. Don't you worry, honey, they won't let you go in jail. Ma'll see to that." She was snoring soundly when David returned.

David worked in the lower field the following day. He shunned the eyes of the family as if he were a guilty man.

Laboriously Ma climbed the steep stairs to the attic. Stopping at the window at the top of the flight, she scanned the lower field until David came into view. Dragging out an old leather covered trunk, she opened it. She ran beside it, flat upon the floor. Tenderly she brought to light from its musty depths treasures of her long ago. A tintype, a young woman, bright and smiling, and standing by her side a straight-backed young man of twenty, with large capable hands and feet, and

Nathaniel quickly thrust an object into his father's hand, ducked aside and ran toward the highway.

apparently much embarrassed by the fine clothes, donned for this memorable occasion. Ma looked long at the picture then gently pressed it to her lips. "Davy," she whispered, "my Davy." She picked up another tintype, showing a little boy in baubles and good, too," she muttered. Then trinkets: small, unimportant things, apparently. A flower pressed between the leaves of an old book, smelling of age. And finally, a clue but accurately tied with a generous strip of cloth. She opened it, pouring the contents into her spacious lap. Money—all of denomination. There were bills. Old-fashioned bills; twenties, tens and fives, and a little silver. She counted it. Three hundred dollars, of which twenty was silver.

Egg money; butter money. Scrimping, for years; denying herself those little things a woman loves so well. Hoarding? Yes Hoarding for just such an occasion as now presented itself. "I'll change the silver at the store," she mumbled. Concealing the box beneath her apron, she arose, look one last look at the picture of the bride and groom, smiled as if in satisfaction and descended the stairs.

Hitch Nellie to the buggy, Elvira. I don't feel right good today I'm going to take a ride."

"Want f should go along?"

"No need."

Slapping the lines on Nellie's back, Ma worked her into a plodding, foot-dragging trot as they neared the Gobie home. She did not wish to encounter Abner at that time. Her journey was a success. The eyes could penetrate Shopping at the village store she exchanged her silver for currency. Currency of an early issue.

On her return she alighted at the Gobies'. Her mouth closed in a straight, hard line, a determined glint in her eyes, she mounted the steps and rapped loudly.

She wasted no words in idle greetings, but came to the point. "Abner, I've come to you to confess My conscience is forcin' me to it. I stole your money."

"Stole my money? What do you mean, Martha?"

"I took your five hundred dollars tin box and all."

"Well, well! Perhaps you'd better tell me about it. What time was it when you took the money?"

"Long about candle lightin' time, I'd say."

"Alone, were you?"

"Yes, all by myself." Then she went on hesitantly, "I've retched half of it back. Spent the rest before my conscience got to prodin me, but I'll raise it for you, Abner, give me a little time I won't run away."

"No, Martha, I don't believe you would. But I want to get a few of the details straight in my mind. If you will please step inside a moment and point out to me the drawer that contained the money you took."

Her jaw sagged, she wetted her lips with the tip of her tongue, then began to ramble and sway about. She would have fallen had not Abner supported her.

"Take me to the buggy, Abner, quick! I'm goin' to have a spell—quick!"

He entreated her to return to the house and rest, but she would not have it so. With his assistance she climbed into the buggy and departed.

Until the dust disturbed her from his view Abner stood and watched her without moving. "Devotion," he said. "What would a man not give for devotion like that?"

For some distance down the road Ma sat hunched over in her buggy allowing Nellie to pick her way, the lines hanging slack. The yellow dust forged up and nearly enveloped her. Finally she sat upright, slapped Nellie with the lines, threw her head back and laughed heartily. Addressing the old mare she said, "Old Abner nearly cacked me, didn't he, Nellie? Would of, I reckon, if I hadn't throwed that fit. My goodness! Never thought about him sakin' 'which drawer 'twas. I'm bumb-headed. Guess I'm getin' old . . . Old-dapt."

David, coming from the barn with a bale of milk in his hand, was the first to see it.

"Ma!" he yelled, "com'ere quick! What's that light over yonder, t' the west?"

"Mercy me, it's a fire. Right in line with Abner's place. Get the lanterns, Dave, quick—and come on! Set down that bucket o' milk. You ain't going to lote that away, I hope."

Hurriedly they crossed the meadow and through the timber lot. Exhausted and out of breath they came to Abner's lot. Pulsing open at the corral gate Abner's house was afire. A solid mass of flames. Nothing could be done to save it. Opening the gate they passed through and stood leaning against the fence, panting breathlessly.

Cars were arriving from both directions coming to a sliding stop in the highway, and in front. Everyone seemed rushed about, but there was little they could do. Numerous burning shingles had dropped on the barn roof and ignited the hay, were kindling.

Something must be done immediately or all would be lost. Someone shouted, "The barn! The barn! Look out for the barn!" Men ran toward the barn. Someone brought two men, one man carrying a ladder. As the latter drew near they recognized him. He was about to place the ladder forward to assist him in whatever way he could. Ma following close behind.

A blur came near the rear wall of the barn, and Abner was about to place the ladder. But he was held back by David. The blur, now about two feet from ground, David's feet. He turned and started to run but stumbled. Ma ran here with Abner. It was Nathaniel. For the count of five they stood without movement or speech, then Nathaniel quickly thrust an object into his father's hand, ducked aside and ran toward the highway. Abner stood looking down at his son, the box in his hand.

When the barn and shed appeared safe from further damage, Abner sought out Ma and David.

"Friends, I've wronged you," he said, humbly. "I'm thinkin' I'm a fool at times. But my sorrow, through what I have just learned, is my punishment."

They were quiet, each occupied with his own thoughts, as they trudged homeward through the timber lot. Finally Ma said.

"Well, I never had a dream or any idea who mighta took the money."

"Ma, neither."

"Willie may be wise stilin' in the road with his car waitin' for Nancy that night, and here come Nathaniel right toward him, runnin' from the barn I'll bet Willie got out of there right quick. Well, I'm mighty thankful we don't have t' worry bout our boy."

"Ma too."

"And ain't Willie gettin' good lookin' and ain't he—my stars—hold here a minute. Now look at that new shirt. Two holes burnt in the back. My land! You'll never have a dollar long's you live. You too—"

"Why, Ma, I got a million dollars right here in m' arms."

"Davy, you d' darlin' You're a blarney. But—honey—don't squeeze quite so hard, you're shuttin' off m' wind."

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When Comes the Harvest Moon

By MURIEL CORDEAUX

THE eighth or Harvest Moon is one of the most beautiful months in China. Its last of the year, and seasonal crops is cut and garnered, the great golden sheaves of wheat, barley and maize piling carried, shoulder high, to the huge old stone mills which are patiently turned slowly round and round by blindfolded donkeys.

Color splashes over the whole land, the air sweeps over fields of millet, kaoliang (millet) are jade green or purplish red, on the rooftops of the little scattered farm houses in the remote villages, melon fruits have been gathered and spread out to dry in these last days of the sun, and standing on the top of a small hill looking down upon the valley the land resembles a giant poop of bright flowers springing abruptly out of the short earth. Cane apples, persimmons, small oranges, grapes and the juice of golden corn with bright green sheathes with red tassels vie with one another in beauty, sprawling triumphantly atop the weary, gray, half broken Farm roofs.

FLAILS AND MUSIC

The sweep of the hand flails can be heard everywhere and with it the sound of singing and the soft thin notes of a flute or a three-stringed Chinese fiddle, all mingling into a perfect whole against the background of the slow, monotonous creak of the ever-turning stone mills, which like the mills of the gods 'grind slowly but exceeding fine.' There is an ancient Hymn of Thanksgiving which dates from the 5th century B.C. which everyone sings at this festival. Partly on praise to those gods of Nature who have poured out the blessings which have produced the year's harvest, but back of it is the deeply hidden praise to the "Great God of the Universe Who has over the Earth Ever Cared."

"With Offerings of millet and of Sheep,
We sacrifice to the gods of the Soil and Grain."

Cardinal Direction.

"Our fields have been reaped and our people blessed.
"Let us play upon the lute and upon the lyre,
"Let us give thanks and beat upon drums and invoke the Father of Husbandry.
"Let us humbly ask Him for the blessing of soft warm rains.
"That our grain may ripeness fully during the coming year, and the land be again blessed with abundance."

(From the Book of Odes)

This last stanza refers to the late swing of Winter wheat which is harvested during the 8th and 9th Moons.

THE MOON ALTARS

It is during the festival of the Harvest Moon that we see the great Moon Altars set up. They are the same as the stone altars set up during the "Budding Moon" festival for the Rites of Spring. The altars are three great slabs of granite, two upright ones with a cross slab, in the centre of which, at the 8th Moon, is a scooped out hollow, to remind the people that the fecundity of earth is now dying. In the centre of the cross slab on the Spring Altar is a raised mound to tell everyone that the fecundity of earth is again raised with the growing strength of the sun. that Spring has come!

In the rites performed at Upper two altars the women of China are permitted to take part and at no other ceremony before an altar. Upon the Moon Altars, under the keen supervision of the grandmother of the family, the daughters and daughters-in-law set out little heaps of round fruits, tiny melons, orange apples, peaches and pomegranates, and always thirteen in number, which signifies the "complete year" of the Chinese lunar calendar. Upon the altar also are lighted candles and bundles of burning joss sticks, while sandlewood incense burns in great bronze urns standing near. The most important offering upon the Moon Altars are the Moon cakes. These cakes are made of a greenish-grey flour supposed to resemble the color of the moon and upon them is a picture of the Moon and Hare in colored sugar. Our own Easter Rabbit has its origin in this ancient myth of the Moon Hare.

The actual rites at the Moon Altars are quite simple being merely the conventional 'Kow Tow' by all the members of the family and a murmured prayer of thanksgiving for the harvest.

FEASTING BY NIGHT

The work of threshing continues the day during this festival but at night there is feasting and merrymaking It is only during this festival that the famous Lion Dancers are seen in China, often leading a little procession of the 'Brothers of the Fire Tree' (actors) who have come to the town or village for the celebrations and who perform the time honored plays and legends of China.

Generally these performances take place in the Temple Courtyard but if there is no temple in the neighborhood, the actors set up their own mat shed and the play takes place there, this when countryside attending. Although these plays are generally performed in Temple Courtyards they have absolutely no religious significance.

In China it is not considered rude to talk loudly during the performance of a play, and the audience spends a great deal of the time in a theatre eating, drinking and drinking tea. Should the idea happen to appeal to anyone he will go to the nearest teahouse and there drink tea and perhaps play several games of dominoes, and then return to the play still in progress.

THE STORY TELLERS

The story tellers also come in for their share of fun during this, as well as other festivals. They sit at street corners behind their rough wood tables and gather the stray passers-by and a few brown coins. These story tellers are generally disqualified scholars who have failed in their examinations for teachers or priests, and they earn a precarious living on the streets of China telling and re-telling the old legends, many of which pre-date the birth of Christ by more than three thousand years. The story tellers are easily distinguished from the street writers or the public astrologers by the table at which they sit, for it always has a twisted leg in front; this is a sure sign of a story teller. On this table is a teapot and a candle or small oil lamp with a paper shade, and if the story teller is not using his huge fan to point out lively details of his tale, this also lies upon the table. Beside the table on the ground squats a young boy hugging to his skinny breast a three stringed fiddle. He crouches down quietly while the tale progresses, but leaps wildly to his feet, waving swagely upon his fiddle to emphasize dramatic parts of the narrative, and when the tale proceeds to smoother waters, he quietly again resumes his posture on the dusty ground.

LONG NOSE FOREIGNERS

These story tellers are generally very clever psychologists and they wait and work for the exact moment wherein to capture the jaded attention of the casual and often extremely weary audience gathered around them after a hard day's work. I remember once in a tiny village in Northern China standing on the outskirts of just such a crowd. The people were tired and uninterested, the night was sitting after a terribly hot day, and the story teller looked around him for some diversion before he began to tell his tale, and saw me standing unerringly among the crowd. Instantly his face lighted up and pointing to me with a long, skinny very dirty finger he shouted,—"Behold I see a foreigner standing there. Her nose is large and very long but her nails are lamentably short, but as she is a foreign devil her purse doubtless will be full of money!" All foreign people are called "Long Noses" in China. There is a sign in a small street in Chinese in Hongkong which reads—"The Long Nose's Nine stops here.) Everybody looked around and saw ma laughing and began to laugh with me, and have a good, they laughed with me, not at me, and the old teller of tales triumphantly began his story which was the beautiful "Legend of the Moon," and as nearly always in Chinese legends history and fantasy blend to an extraordinary mixture.

TALE OF AN EMPEROR

This legend is brief, is the tale of the last Emperor of the T'ang dynasty commonly called the "Illustrious Emperor." This Emperor fell deeply in love with his Chief Concubine, "Jade Bracelet" who was not at all content with her secondary position in the "Flowery Kingdom" and she conspired with the Chief Counselor to have the reigning Empress murdered. One dark night in Peiin when the Emperor was away, her Chief Aide with the Chief Counsellor, to consult the Devil who lived in the bottomless pool outside one Gate of Chungking, drowned "accidently" pushed into the deep pool and drowned.

The emperor married the concubine but immediately to most tales they did not live happily ever after. Disaster after disaster overtook the Empire of Vistiny and at last the "Illustrious Emperor," now old and sick, was forced to abdicate in favor of his son who founded the infamous Sung dynasty. The other half of the story is pure fantasy of course, (for without beauty China would not be China) the goddess of Mercy Kuan Yin took the spirit of the drowned empress up to the beautiful and wonderful Palace of the Moon, and there installed her as the goddess of that celestial body, and according to the Chinese, there she still lives and rules. Her companions are the dancing maidens of the Moon, the chief of whom is Shang O'no the widow of the archer who shot down the seven suns which were threatening to burn up the earth. There is only one man in the moon, an old woodcutter who for ever and ever tries to cut down the sacred cassia tree to enable him to reach a bowl of rice which is lodged in the opposite branch of the tree but the cassia tree is the tree of immortality and as the old woodcutter shops into the hall, strong trunk, it heals itself, and so the old man keeps on at his task for eternity, always hoping for the rice bowl. Under the cassia tree by the moon hares who are busy and happy making pills for the gods of medicine especially to assist those mortals upon earth who are afflicted with plague and smallpox. Here also the Chief Moon Hare makes the pills of immortality during an eclipse of the moon.

Some of the ancient legends of the moon tell us that after the "Illustrious Emperor" died he was taken to reign as a ruler in the Moon Palace, until he lies under the power of the concubine "Jade Bracelet" he was a good and just ruler, and apparently would like to be think that when there is an eclipse of the moon, that the celestial lover, the sun's ruler, has paid a visit to his former consort and that her light is outshone by the greater splendor of her husband!

Moon myths are far more common in China than sun legends, but one thing which is quite definitely established is that the Chinese have from time immemorial erected altars to both the sun and the moon, and the folk love and the tales which have gathered around these two celestial bodies are so ancient it is quite impossible to most Chinese to trace their origin.

Bridging the Commonwealth

The Church of St. Mary

LONDON — The church of St. Mary-the-Virgin at Oxford has serious historic ties with the University of Oxford which have no parallels throughout the world. Its vicar, the Reverend Dr R S. Lee, in a broadcast in the B.B.C's General Overseas series "The Church at Work," recalled that when the university began to grow in the twelfth century there were no colleges or lecture halls, no living houses and halls for the many students crowding in from Europe.

The church in those days was used for worship, for lectures, examinations and conferring of degrees, for meetings of the masters in congregation to transact University business, as a law court and even as a fortress at times when rivalry between students and townsmen broke out into actual fighting. In the fourteenth century the University built a congregation hall and library which were later incorporated into the church. The church still pays a nominal rent of £1 a year for that part of University property.

The University has other rights over St. Mary's but in turn undertakes financial responsibility for maintaining it. Yet there is no statute or by-law defining these rights and responsibilities.

"St. Mary's has never lost its place as an integral part of the University" Dr. Lee pointed out. "Every Sunday morning during term the great bell still rings to summon the University to hear the University sermon, and at 10.30 a.m. the vice-chancellor enters preceded by the beadle of the various faculties bearing their maces, and followed by the proctors and doctors in their scarlet robes. The vice-chancellor takes his seat on his throne with the two proctors on either side of him and doctors nearby; the preacher ascends the pulpit made famous by Newman and other great divines and thence delivers his learned oration which on occasion is in Latin. The same bell rings too, during the week to summon the congregation of the University to assemble in the new Convocation Hall to deal with the business of the week.

Dr Lee summed up the function of his church thus "St. Mary's is the scene of almost all the official religious acts of the University. It offers the most renowned pulpit and the most intelligent congregation in Britain in the best preaching of the country. It acts as a centre for the manifold religious activities in the University, particularly those that touch more than one college. It is expected to take the lead in bringing the various churches and other religious institutions, whether Anglican or Free Church, into co-operation on all matters of general concern. It is a common centre of pastoral guidance. It is a parish church with a busy life of its own, but because of this it can offer the students an opportunity of keeping intact their membership in the common life of the Church as a whole. One of its most important tasks, Dr. Lee added, was to reconcile the interests of town and town, the undergraduates cut off their own parish churches, and the townspeople, the regular, all the year round congregation which "tends to regard undergraduates as interlopers."

"Next to Westminster Abbey, there is no other church which is so closely bound up in the historic life of the nation," he said. "It brings the brain of England into vital connection with her heart, which is her religion. Some people are wondering if the present interest in religion in Oxford may be the stirring of a new episode in her development."

R.A.F. MEMORIAL

WOLD NEWTON, Lincolnshire, England (CP)—A granite cross R.A.F memorial, dedicated here recently, is visible only from the air.

Glacier Moves Ahead After Long Retreats

GREYMOUTH, N.Z. (CP)—New Zealand's "tropical" glacier, the Franz Josef, slipped at its lower end runs through fern trees at only 800 feet above sea level, is advancing again after many years of retreat up its valley.

Like glaciers in Canada and Alaska most New Zealand glaciers have puzzled scientists by a large shrinkage in depth and retreat of its lower face during most of the present century.

The Frans Josef, which falls precipitously from the Southern Alps, in the South Island, moves faster than most glaciers because of its steep face, they state. It shows the level forest-covered coastal plain does it flatter out. It bears that the terminal face has been retreating until recently.

FACE MOVES BACK

The Franz Josef has shown evidences of this retreat for at least 50 years, but the movement became much more rapid after 1934. Between then and 1945 its terminal face moved back about 1,100 yards. A lake and a grassy flat were left where there had been ice 600 feet thick in 1892 and 200 feet thick as recently as 1934.

The glacier has always been a great tourist attraction. Once visitors stepped onto the ice from high up the side of the valley. In recent years they have had to approach it by boat across the lake on the valley floor.

In the last year the ice has been advancing again and has reoccupied about 300 yards of the valley flat. Ice is gradually being filled up with debris from the terminal moraine and if this movement continues it will disappear in about three years.

It is not certain, however, that the advance is permanent and that the terminal face of the glacier will return to its former position. Up to a few weeks ago the ice was advancing 3 feet a day, but this has now dropped to between two and 2½ feet.

Scottish Bagpipes Made in England

Most of the world's supply of bagpipes are made not in Scotland, the land of their birthright, but in the London suburb of Camden Town, and not, as one might expect, by an exiled Scot, but by a Cockney family called Starck. For three generations now the Starks have been making pipes. They started with an order for Queen Victoria's Highlanders, and now are exporting them everywhere. Sixty-eight sets are at present on their way to Australia. The materials from which bagpipes are made come from all over the world, blackwood from West Africa, ivory from the Congo, cana for the reeds from Spain, English sheepskin for the bags, and only the tartan and silk ribbons from Scotland. And, of course, the music—the most important part of the bagpipes.

When to Applaud Musician Offers Problem for Critics

LONDON (CP) — Nice people don't applaud at the end of a well-executed symphonic movement, say some London music critics. They do so, critics others.

The discussion was created by an increasing tendency of concert-goers to clap when the musicians pause at the end of a difficult and well-played movement. Instead of saving applause for the end of the symphony.

Australia to Expand Boystown Projects

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—The amazing success of Boystown in Sydney has inspired the founder, Father Dundee, to play similar towns in every Australian state.

The Sydney venture, which recently celebrated its ninth anniversary, followed the lines of the original Boystown established by Father Flanagan in Omaha, Neb.

Father Dundee opened his first town in a garage in a suburb of Sydney in 1939. When more boys arrived, he moved into a cottage and later went under canvas for six months. Today it has buildings worth £60,000 ($200,000), including a memorial to the 100 boys who served in World War II.

Boystown is open to boys of all religions of the same faith. Only boys who have passed under his guidance, not one has been a failure, according to Father Dundee.

INCREASE CADET FORCE

SHORNECLIFFE, Kent, England (CP)—The War office wants to increase the Army Cadet Force to 200,000, double its existing strength, War Minister Shinwell, told Army Cadets and officers here.

Britain's Mighty Brabazon 1

The huge Brabazon I is near completion at Filton, Bristol. The building of Brabazon I is the greatest undertaking yet attempted in civil aircraft construction and every phase of the construction has involved years of research. Picture shows the Brabazon I at Filton. A Lancaster bomber is dwarfed by the great air liner.

—Reuterphoto

Check Loyalty Of Employees

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (CP)—New Zealand's methods to ascertain whose loyalty is open to question in making public service appointments has been set out by the Public Service Commission in a report which says that it "attaches to integrity still greater importance than to efficiency."

"The Public Service Commission agrees that positions involving secrecy and national security should not be held by persons who admit membership of, or are reasonably believed to be in active association with, organizations the objects and methods of which conflict with the national interest," the report says.

"This consideration is taken into account when appointments are made, and it applies also to the present holders of such positions."

New Zealand Premier Raps Books on Islands

By J. C. GRAHAM

AUCKLAND, N.Z. (CP)—Prime Minister Peter Fraser of New Zealand has taken the unusual course of writing to a number of business firms expressing concern at their having taken advertising space in a recently-published book.

The book, entitled "Frontier Forsaken," was published by the Auckland General Laborers' Union and the Auckland Brick, Tile and Concrete Workers' Union. It criticizes the administration of the Cook Islands, a dependency of New Zealand lying in the tropical zone of the South Pacific.

VIRULENT AND BIASED

"Your company's name appears as one of the firms whose generous co-operation has made this book possible," said Fraser in his letter to the firms. "The book purports to be a history of the Cook Islands, but throughout its pages a particularly virulent and biased, and may I say inaccurate attack is maintained on British, and, especially New Zealand administration of the group.

"It has been a great surprise to me to find your company named as a sponsor of the publication which is promoted by persons who are openly and avowedly members of the Communist Party, or fellow-travellers with the Communists.

ANTI-BRITISH PROPAGANDA

"It is clearly part of the propaganda offensive against Britain and the British Commonwealth. I can only assume that, if the statement is accurate, you either had no knowledge of its contents or were misinformed as to its nature and objects."

The editorial board of the Unions stated that the book was definitely not a Communist publication. It was simply an expression of the ideas and knowledge of a number of people of various political and religious ideologies on a very grave question which, as true New Zealand had aroused their interest. The book was based on missionary records, eye-witness accounts, government documents, parliamentary reports and official correspondence.

PLACING THE BLAME

Some of the firms concerned said they would not have advertised in it has they known the type of publication it would be. Others said they had to "play ball" with the unions because they employed workers who were members and had agreed to contribute to the cost of the book at the request of the unions.

Some firms, however, objected to the principle of the Prime Minister writing to criticize where they place their advertising.

River of Living 'Stars' Runs In Caves of New Zealand

By FRANK B. BARTHOLOMEW

WAITOMO, New Zealand (UP)—Three minutes thread their way carefully along a passageway far under the surface of the earth here in Northern New Zealand. You are one of them.

The trio comes finally to the banks of an underground river, flowing silently through cavernous gloom. There is a landing stage with a dim light cutting the blackness for a few feet, and revealing a boat alongside.

"Step in, please," the tall, young guide whispers, "quietly."

You are in the boat. You push away into the darkness, and look back rather uncertainly at the dim light by the landing stage, now receding.

NO NOISE, PLEASE

The guide stands erect and pulls the boat upstream by a rope fastened at intervals to the walls. You can't see it, but you occasionally feel its wet strands against your face.

"Can't use the oars," the guide whispers. "No noise, please. Don't strike a light. No smoking."

The journey continues around a bend in the river, through an archway and into still another cavernous room. The only sound is the soft swish of the oars as they dip into the waters of the unseen river, and the occasional splash of water-drops from somewhere above.

You want to ask about the earthquakes which frequently shake this part of the world, and about the active volcano of Ngauruhoe shows you and a few miles to the southeast. Instead, you hang on to the side of the boat and strain your eyes for a sight of something—anything.

"STARS" COME OUT

You are rewarded. As the boat moves ahead, a pale glow begins to manifest itself. The sides of the cavern becoms faintly visible and the black surface of the river begins to reflect a sheen of light.

Then you are in the presence of a phenomenon almost past description. The cavern ceiling is alight with a soft green-white illumination as of a million stars. Some are dim, some bright as energetia little flashlights. Some turn off and on.

The twinkling effect is heightened by reflection in the ripple in the river caused by the progress of your boat. A million "weeds are above and around you, the entire cavern alight with their scintillating luminescence.

This is the glow-worm grotto or Waitomo, and these are the glow-worms.

HUNT THEIR PREY

They are earnivorous and they are hunting their prey, the small flies that follow the course of the river in from its emergence from the outdoors a long way off.

"I'll tell you a little about them now," the guide says. "Although any sound will cause a large section of them to douse their lights. Each worm is about an inch and a half long and is encased in a plastic-like capsule half again as long. The worm and the capsule are both glass-like and you can see through each; when it hold a light close in a moment you will see through the body of the worm to its vital organs, and will see the light in its tail.

Vanishing Windmills

LONDON — An exhibition in honor of windmills has held not long ago in London's famous Victoria and Albert Museum, and Robert Baxter, B.B.C. correspondent, who went to it, says: "Windmills are not only useful, were useful, I suppose I should say, but they've also an inspiration to some artists. This exhibition shows that the miller and his mill have for centuries provided subjects for carvers working in ancient churches, for silversmiths, and of course, for painters like Constable, who by the way was a miller's son, and what Rembrandt does not know Cotman's water-colors of old mills?

"Funnily enough, there's no mention in this exhibition of the mill's place in English literature I'd have thought that would have been a very rich vein to work; too rich perhaps. I suppose George Eliot's "Mill on the Floss" is the most famous of all mills in our literature. Now, of course, the day of the windmill is over; there are only about 40 still left working in the whole country, Suffolk and Kent have, I think, the most left. Their preservation is largely to the credit of the Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings."

Cable 'Graphs

By The Canadian Press

NEW ARTIFICIAL HAND

LONDON, England A new artificial hand, developed by a Lambeth doctor and a young Irish architect, is said to have almost the appearance and dexterity of its human counterpart. Small rubber pads are set in the finger-tips and palm and a shoulder-brace control enables the wearer to grasp an object with an almost imperceptible shrug.

SKYSCRAPING MISS FLAKE

DARWIN, Australia — A flight-lieutenant of the Royal Australian Air Force, driving a jeep a few miles from here, felt something tap him on the shoulder after hitting a bump. He stopped and looking around he found a large waltzing Matilda, the black-and-green thing itself. It jumped out and made off for the bush.

COMPLAINT OF GHOST

DURBAN, South Africa — Enraged residents [illegible] about Durban [illegible] have petitioned the [illegible] to establish a ghost which has been haunting [illegible] night with a [illegible] groan. The ghost is a [illegible] dispatch rider who died in 24 hours duty. The groan [illegible] can be heard three miles away.

BEAUTIFUL BOMBED AREAS

LEWISHAM, Kent, England — Lewisham Council is asking women of bombed sites, particularly in main roads and squares, areas to lend them for development as flower gardens. It will be years before main roads get houses to rebuild on the sites which are every in their present condition," said a council spokesman.

BOTTLE DRIFTS 1,800 MILES

BREDERDORP (Cape Province, South Africa — After travelling more than 1,800 miles by sea, a bottle was picked up on this shore near here recently. It contained a photograph and an address. A letter sent to the address brought a reply that the bottle had been thrown from a ship off the west coast of Africa.

EXPECTED BOY, GIRL BORN

BEESTON, Leeds, England — As usual the Small family is expectant and was going to be a boy. They had all been boys for 150 years. Blue trimmings were trained round the bed and the hall was hung all trailing, turned out to be a girl — and the whole family was delighted.

SEEK "EXTINCT" BIRD

CHRISTCHURCH, N.Z. An expedition which is to explore the Irwell River region in southwest New Zealand next year may find living specimens of the tuatake or notornis, an almost prehistoric bird long thought to be extinct. The tuatake is a large flightless bird with bright red bill and blue-black feathers.

OLDEST CLERGYMAN RETIRES

IPSWICH, Suffolk, England — Britain's oldest working clergyman, the Rev. E. G. Farrer, who announced his retirement in the 58 years he has officiated at Old Newton, near here, Faircrew preached 8,053 sermons.

IGNORED DOCTORS

SOUTHEND ON SEA, Essex, England — William Hedde, 101, bishop of the Pentecostal Church, a religious sect which has no faith in doctors, is dead. He had not consulted a medical man for 73 years.

Australian Natives Search For Gold in Bleak Desert

SYDNEY, Australia (CP) — Two mission-trained aborigines, Jimmy and Jacky, have taken a camel team into Central Australia in search of Lasseter's lost reef—a fabulous El Dorado somewhere in the Spinifex wastes of the interior.

The two aborigines are experienced prospectors with four previous expeditions in search of the reef to their credit. They will be "protected" by another native called Tommy who has only one leg.

REPORT OF FIND

The first of many journeys into the interior to locate the gold began soon after a prospector, Harry Lasseter, wandered into a surveyor's camp on the Adelaide-Darwin Overland Telegraph route in 1897 with a tale of having found a reef studded with gold "as thick as plums in a pudding."

Lasseter said he got lost returning from the reef. His horses had died one by one and he had wandered about for days in a semi-exhausted condition until he stumbled into the surveyor's camp.

Three years later he and his surveyor went back to find the reef but they failed.

Although many prospectors doubt Lasseter's story, old-timers of the gold rush days of the West believe the reef exists—probably on sacred grounds of the aborigines, who have done everything possible to prevent the white man's search parties probing the area.

DIED DURING HUNT

Lasseter spent the rest of his life going over his traces and finally perished late in 1930. His naked body was discovered early in 1931. For months he had wandered about with the natives, living on their foods and trying to get a clue that might lead him back to the reef.

A native split-man eventually "heard" him and left him to die.

At least 11 other men have died looking for the reef.

Jimmy and Jacky have had narrow escapes on their previous expeditions. They have been hampered by heavy sands, lack of water, and a deadly fear of being speared by wild Spinifex tribesmen.

FIREARMS BANNED

Under the law they as aborigines, are not allowed to carry firearms and they will have to rely on their protector, Tommy, to talk them out of any trouble they might run into. Tommy is a member of the Spinifex tribe.

They have taken plenty of water with them in four gallon drums strapped to their camels.

Before leaving for the desert they told miners they had information from "friends among the natives" that led them to hope they would be successful.

Mining interests in Kalgoorlie, a West Australian gold town, are understood to be backing them.

Designed to Increase Efficiency in Mines

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The North British Miner, designed by Mr. R. K. Lott, to increase the efficiency of transporting coal from the mine, has a 100-h.p. Diesel engine. It is shown here going its paces at Glasgow.